THE EVENING NEWS.

THIRD YEAR—NO. 859. BENTON HARBOR, MICH., WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1898. TWO CENTS

WAR EXTRA

5:30 O'CLOCK.

UNTIL NOON.

Gen. Miles Gave Toral Another Day.

Waiting to Hear from Madrid.

Shafter's Visit to Spanish Camp.

Spain Willing to Give Up Santiago.

No Fight Until Thursday and Unlikely Then.

Washington, July 14.—There will be no firing at Santiago before noon Thursday and perhaps not then. If Madrid allows the city will surrender.

The war department has given out a dispatch from Gen. Shafter dated near Santiago de Cuba July 13, in which he reports an interview of an hour and a half with Gen. Toral, the commander of the Spanish forces at Santiago.

The interview resulted in the extension of the flag of truce until tomorrow at noon.

Gen. Shafter told the Spanish commander that unconditional surrender was the only thing that would be considered. He tried to impress upon him the impossibility of escape and that he had no right to continue the fight. Gen. Shafter made a strong impression on the Spaniard.

If the demand for surrender is refused the army and navy will open a united attack upon the city at noon tomorrow.

Gen. Alger today received a cable from Gen. Miles, dated at Playa del Este, July 13, saying that at the meeting of Shafter, Wheeler and the Spanish general, Toral, the latter claimed that he was unable to act without the authority of his government. He has received authority to withdraw his troops and surrender the city and harbor ports, and he urgently requested until tomorrow to receive further instructions from his government. Gen. Miles granted the request.

On the bulletin board at the war department underneath Miles' dispatch is written:

"Permission to withdraw declined by war department. Signed, R. A. A."

Blanco has been trying to make terms of surrender by which Toral's army would be allowed to reinforce Havana.

A BIG CROP.

Niles Farmers Harvesting Best Wheat Crop in 20 Years.

Niles, July 13.—The farmers are busy with threshing, and from reports the wheat crop is better, and averaging more grain to the acre than in the past twenty years.

Niles Recruits Left.

Niles, July 13.—The following Niles boys left last night with Homer Chapin for Island Lake: L. M. Peak, Robert Chamber, William Matthews, Arthur Lambut, Albert Moody, John Hatfield, jr., William Glenn, William Darling, William Allen and James Leonard.

Marriage Licenses.

Ralph Garrison, 21, Benton Harbor; Theresa Hepler, 21, St. Joseph.

Couldn't Be In Two Places at Once.

Doctor—Your wife must have chicken broth three times a day, and you must give her a spoonful of this medicine every hour during the night. Mr. Jackson (dubiously)—Wa'al, doctah, I doan' see how yo' expec' me toe pervide her wif chicken broff an' gib her dat medicine at de same time.

The ice sold by Hosbein & Barnes is from 10 to 14 inches thick and free from snow. Telephone 242.

DEWEY AGAIN HEARD FROM.

Captured Five Thousand Spaniards.

The Enemy Made No Resistance.

Much Ammunition Was Captured.

Washington, July 13.—The authorities have again heard cheering news from Admiral Dewey, the hero who is looking after the American interests in Manila Bay.

A cable just received from Hong Kong announces that he has captured the Spanish garrison on Grand Island in Subig Bay, consisting of Col. Rio and five thousand men. Not a shot was fired by the Spaniards.

The Americans captured a large amount of ammunition.

Madrid, July 13.—A dispatch from Iloilo says that Dewey expects to make an attack on Manila Friday.

A REPULSE.

Gen. Blanco Reports Another "Victory."

Madrid, July 13.—Gen. Blanco reports the repulse of a landing party at Tayabacoa, and also that an American transport is aground at Punta Canry.

MAD AS HORNETS.

NILES TAXPAYERS DO NOT WANT FREE BOOKS.

Many Said to Have Voted Who Had No Right to and Attorney General Appealed To.

Niles, July 13.—Tax payers in general are red-hot over the adoption of the free text book system for the local school from the fact that the vote for adoption was mainly cast, so they declare, by non-freeholders. These people had no right to vote, it is said, and therefore it is believed the election was illegal. The attorney general has been appealed to, to render an opinion. Local book dealers are also as mad as hornets.

A CENT LOWER.

Wheat Takes Another Drop on the Chicago Board.

Chicago, July 13.—Following are the closing prices on the board of trade today: Wheat, 74; corn, 31½; oats, 22¾.

SHORTEST ROUTE.

A TIP TO THE ROYALTON FARMERS.

The River Road is the Best But the New Road the Shortest from the Bridge.

There has been more discussions as to the shortest route from the new bridge to C. J. Peck's furniture store and which would be the choice in the great race for the $50 bedroom suite, July 23.

In order to solve the problem Messrs. Poole, Wells, Enders and Carley, measured the distance by cyclometers. They found by the river road from the brow of the hill on this side to Peck's store was four and one-eighth miles and by the new road was three and seven-eighths but found the roads much superior by the river road so the new road has the advantage in distance and the river road in condition.

Residents along both roads undoubtedly will have an opportunity to watch struggling teams and clouds of dust flying towards the popular furniture dealer. Peck says the reason he requires only lumber wagons to compete for the prize is that he don't want anything "buggy" about the bedroom suit.

SWEET REVENGE.

Grand Jury Victims Had Foreman Holmes Arrested.

Several days ago John G. Holmes, foreman of the late grand jury and one of Buchanan's best citizens, was hunting sparrows and a stray shot struck Mrs. George Smith, who was in a cherry tree and hidden by the foliage. It was a pure accident and the reasonable citizens sympathized with Mr. Holmes. Harry Churchill swore out a warrant for his arrest and it cost Mr. Holmes $7.75 in fine and costs. It will be recalled that the late grand jury indicted Churchill for running a gambling house and he plead guilty and paid a heavy fine. And this is the revenge he took upon Mr. Holmes for doing his duty. Buchanan is a queer place if it encourages such work.

MINES TO BE EXPLODED.

Seacoast Cities Believe Danger is All Over.

Chicago, July 13.—A Washington dispatch to the Chicago Times Herald says:

All the submarine mines protecting the harbors of the United States are at once to be exploded. The government has reached the conclusion that Spain has been rendered powerless to harm coast towns, and that the submarine engines of war are not needed.

The decision for the removal of the mines was reached at a cabinet meeting today. It is considered indicative not only of the confidence of the administration that no attack is to be feared, but that peace is soon to be concluded.

Business interests will be greatly benefited by the destruction of the mines, which have impeded commerce to an extent not understood by persons not engaged in marine traffic. In a general way it has been practically impossible during the last two months for vessels to leave or enter American ports between sunset and sunrise. The conditions became so onerous that urgent protests were made to the war department; and soon after the destruction of Cervera's fleet the matter was taken up by the president and his advisors for serious consideration. The conclusion was reached today and there is no further use for the mines, and that the safest and quickest way of disposing of them is to explode them. Orders to this effect have been dispatched to all United States engineer offices in charge of harbor defenses, and in a day or so the embargo on commerce will be raised.

MUST BE PEACE.

Premier Sagasta Says It Is the Only Remedy.

London, July 13.—The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail says:

Senor Sagasta being asked as to whether a decision had been made regarding peace replied:

"No, but what remedy can there be but to make peace?"

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Thursday. Partly cloudy with probably rain.

First Steamship to Cross the Atlantic.

It was under the American flag that the first steamship crossed the Atlantic. The Savannah, built in New York by Francis Picket, was a vessel of 300 tons burden, and was still in the stocks when Wm. Scarborough, a wealthy merchant of Savannah, Ga., bought her. He advertised extensively for passengers and freight to start the trans-Atlantic voyage. There were no responses; people everywhere were enthusiastic, but were not confident enough to risk either life or property in such an undertaking. On the 20th of May, 1819, the Savannah started; twenty-two days later she ran into the river Mersey and came to anchor off Liverpool, "with not a scheen, bolt or rope-yarn parted."

Mr. Staybolt's Philosophy.

"Hope is a fine thing," said Mr. Staybolt, "sure. We'd be a pretty miserable lot, most of us, without it. And a man can get along very comfortably for quite a spell on nothing else, without doing a blessed thing but hope that things will come his way. But while hope makes a bright light it doesn't give out very much heat; if a man wants that he must dig for it. It's a fortunate thing for a man to make this discovery early, and the man who mixes the most digging with his hopefulness has the most reason to be hopeful."—New York Sun.

A Joke in a Heavy Atmosphere.

From the San Francisco Argonaut: A clever mot was made by a member of parliament during another member's prosy speech. The latter happening to yawn during his remarks, the other commented, "This man is not without taste, but he usurps our privilege."

Mid-summer clearing sale of all millinery for next 30 days at Chadwick & Rehm's, Van Horn's store. 12t858

Trimmed hats at cost this week at Chadwick & Rehm's, Van Horn's store.

Gasoline stoves cleaned and guaranteed. J. Strain, 140½ Pipestone street.

The Busy Department Store

FERRY & RAPP

Summer Underwear Clearance...

25 doz. Ladies' Jersey Vests at 3c each.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, were 15c, clearance price, 9c.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, were 20c, clearance price, 13c.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, were 25c to 35c, clearance price, 19c.

Ladies' silk pleated Vests, were 75c, clearance price, 48c.

Extraordinary Bargains...

25 doz. Summer Corsets for 19c.

1000 yds, Irish Lawns at 2c yd., worth 6c

1500 yds. Dimities at 4c, worth 10c

2000 yds. Fine Corded Dimities at 7c, worth 12c and 15c.

Jackets and Skirts...

Ending of the greatest bargains offered in Jackets and Skirts, your choice at less than real cost to manufacture.

Ladies' Tan Jacket, worth $6 for $3.48.

Ladies' Tan Jacket, silk lined, worth $8.00 for $4.33.

Ladies' Skirts, blk brocade, worth $2.25 for $1.39.

Our Grocery Department Offers

Corn meal, per sack	10c	Bacon, per lb	9c
Lard, per lb	5c	Four crown raisins, 5 lbs for	25c
4 bars Castile soap	5c	Extra fine salmon, 3 cans for	25c
XXXX coffee, per lb	10c	Wild Cherry phosphate, 3 for	25c

FERRY & RAPP

SPECIAL SALE

At Miles' Shoe Store

Ladies' Oxfords,

$1.25 and $1.50 values for 75c

Men's Tan Shoes,

$2.50 and $2.75 values for $2

Don't miss this chance to get Footwear at a bargain...

Corner Pipestone and Michigan Streets.. Sweet Block

... THE ...

$50-Bedroom Suit-$50

WILL BE GIVEN AWAY

Saturday Morning, July 23, 1898,

IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER:

At 9:45 a. m. Saturday, July 23, 1898, for fifteen minutes, tickets will be given out to every farmer residing on the south side of river, who drives a team and lumber wagon across the Royalton bridge near Somerleyton.

Of the farmers so receiving the tickets, the first one to drive into town with said team and wagon and enter the front door to our store, 107 East Main street, wins the suit on presentation of the ticket.

The bedroom suit is now on exhibition in our show windows where it will remain until its owner takes it away.

After due consideration we adopt this method as the fairest way to carry out our advertisement of one year ago.

Tickets will be given out at the south end of bridge only.

All are invited to the store to see the contest and all are cautioned to beware of accidents.

C. J. PECK...

107 East Main Street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

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OFFICE: 142 Pipestone Street.

Entered at the postoffice at Benton Harbor as second class matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

Delivered in Benton Harbor or St. Joseph.
One week, - - - - - 10c
By Mail—One year, $4.00; three months, $1.00; one month, 40c; in advance.
The Weekly News, - - $1.00 a year

TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1898.

SUGAR FACTORY A GODSEND.

In no part of the United States could a sugar beet factory prove such a godsend to the farmers as it will right here. The reasons for this statement are almost self-evident.

The farms here are very small. No farmer counts his land by the section or half section as they do in the states west of Michigan but in the fruit belt a farm of 20 acres is all that many good business farmers want. These few acres he wants to yield the fullest possible return.

The beet crop will accomplish this. It would scarcely pay the Illinois or Iowa farmer who raises corn and cattle on a section of land to cultivate a few acres of beets. He would not have time to look after the crop and as long as hogs and cattle sell for as good a price as now he cares for nothing better.

Here it is different. If half the land now used for berries is devoted to sugar beets a new morn of prosperity would dawn. Sugar beets are more profitable than strawberries at $1 per case. Besides, if there was only half the present berry acreage the price for the latter would be greatly increased.

The farmer who fails to make a beet contract will always regret it.

HERO WORSHIP.

All the world loves a hero but few sensible people enjoy hero worship and see any good judgment displayed in the lugging away of old shingles and chunks of broken plaster from houses where some distinguished man was born, lived or died.

An instance of this sort is now exciting the people of Galesburg, a village near Kalamazoo. Gen. Shafter once lived in that village and the house where he lived is the Mecca for relic seekers, who sketch the place, steal or buy old shingles and slivers from the timbers. The owner of the old Shafter house has made a commercial commodity of the building and is selling shingles at $1 each and the logs, joists and boards will be manufactured into canes and sold at a fabulous price.

It is quite likely that the persons paying $1 for decayed shingles use their leisure time in cursing the government because the war stamp became necessary.

IT isn't the worst thing in the world to be a prisoner of war. Admiral Cervera, who reached Portsmouth, N. H., on the St. Louis Sunday, will be allowed to wander around the United States at his own sweet will. If he wishes, he can live on the fat of the land at the Waldorf-Astoria or any other first-class hotel. All that will be required of him will be to keep his pledge not to leave this country till the war is over. The American people have no unkindly feeling for the admiral and hope that he will enjoy himself during his enforced sojourn on our soil. Let it be remembered to his credit that when Hobson and his men were captured after sinking the Merrimac, his first impulse was to exchange them.

NILES is a free trade democratic city. She gave the banner free whiskey vote at the recent election. She is the first city in the county—and probably the last—to adopt free school books. It is not known why Niles has not made a better record in the way of free silver.

THE price of hard coal is likely to be lower than in several years. The trust has been crowding up prices until soft coal has largely driven the demand for anthracite out of the market.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.
WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.
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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Notice.

My photographic studio will be closed from July 9 to 19. All parties who have finished work in the gallery will please call and get the same before July 9. 5t852 J. N. POUNDSTONE.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure, 50c and $1. All druggists.

Learned Pig In 1815.

In 1815 the royal mews at Charing Cross were standing and on the actual site now occupied by Nelson's column a long wooden shed was placed, and in it was the skeleton of a whale of great dimensions. Through it the writer walked from end to end.

Opposite stood, as now they stand, spring gardens, where in old times the beaus and belles of the court of Charles II disported themselves. There in a house was located "the learned pig."

Bystanders desirous of seeing its performance stood in a circle, and within a smaller one playing cards were apparently indiscriminately thrown down. Onlookers, possibly confederates, named a particular card, and the pig trotted round and placed his snout on the named card without an error.

From that exhibition, the writer, in the same house (he thinks), was taken and introduced to "the Hottentot Venus," an ebony damsel clad in gauzy garments of the most flimsy kind, who displayed her figure by proudly traversing and circling round the room in which she gave her receptions.

Issuing thence, the writer was taken to the horse guards parade to see the cannon used by the French as a mortar during the siege of Cadiz, 1812. It was on a carriage in a horizontal position, and the writer, lifted by his father, was thrust inside the muzzle, and, struggling somewhat, was, with a little difficulty, extracted from his confined position.—London Sketch.

The Girls Blushed Too.

Visitors at the World's fair of 1893 will recall the Indian exhibit or encampment on the shore of the south pond. One of the tents or wigwams was occupied by an athletic and fine looking but somewhat taciturn specimen of young Indian manhood as his own particular home, and while it was open at all proper hours for the inspection of visitors he resented any approach to impertinent curiosity.

A bevy of young women dropped into his tent one day before his usual hour for opening it and found him sewing a rent in a blanket.

"See how he blushes," exclaimed one of the visitors. "We have caught him doing squaw's work."

"Why, that's his natural color," giggled another. "He always blushes."

"Yes, young ladies," said the Indian in perfectly good English, "he blushes for some of the civilized and enlightened white Americans of the nineteenth century."

The visitors joined him in blushing and shortly afterward went out without further remarks.—Youth's Companion.

Is "By Jingo!" Basque?

Prince L. L. Bonaparte, many years ago, claimed "By jingo" as an English borrowing from the Basques. The Soulotin Basques say "Bai Jinko," meaning "Yes, God," not "By God" or "Par Dieu." The k would easily become g in the mouth of a foreigner. Basque sailors and soldiers have always been ubiquitous. Some time ago I was at an inn at Larraina (the thrashing floor) in Soule, where the host, who had gained the queen's medal for service in the French army in the Crimean war, repeated "Bai Jinko" hundreds of times during the day. No doubt the Basques in the time of Rabelais, the first author to put Basque words in print (though he did so rather clumsily) had the same habit. It must always have attracted the attention of foreigners, who would readily imitate it.—Notes and Queries.

PIANO SALE.

I have secured a stock of PIANOS and ORGANS from a firm in New York to CLOSE OUT and will offer the same during the next 30 DAYS at less than the manufacturers prices. The stock includes:

Steinway	Newby & Evans
Hallet & Davis	Camp & Co.
Ludwig & Co.	Arion
Emerson	Nilson
Reed & Sons	Martin & Son
Mathushek	Joscelyn

I also carry
Pianos { A. B. Chase. Weber. Estey. James & Holmstrom.
Organs { Estey. Story & Clark.

General distributing point for the CELEBRATED ESTEY ORGANS.

Will sell on time or monthy installments if desired. Write at once for description and prices.
OTIS BIGELOW, Dowagiac, Mich.
849t6

Wanted at once—10 pickers to thin peaches. John H. Lee. 856t6

Bids for Removing Garbage.

Bids for the removal of garbage and rubbish from the streets and alleys of the city will be received by the city clerk until Monday, July 18. Bidders must state the price per month at which they will do this work, and the city council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
857t6 R. P. CHADDOCK, City Clerk.

$125 bicycle for $15 at Wallace Bros.

MONEY TO LOAN

At 6 and 7 per cent according to security, amount and time. Abstracts of title furnished. We have a complete tax abstract of Berrien county and will furnish tax statements for 50 cents per lot.
DIX & WILKINSON, Court House, St. Joseph, Mich.

Bob Moore, of LaFayette, Ind., says that for constipation he has found DeWitt's Little Early Risers to be perfect. They never gripe. Try them for stomach and liver troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

"I think DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the finest preparation on the market for piles." So writes John C. Dunn, of Wheeling, W. Va. Try it and you will think the same. It also cures eczema and all skin diseases. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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PLUMBING.... STEAM and GAS FITTING
140½ Pipestone St.

Our estimates will save you money.. Work guaranteed..

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18 ft. 30 ft. Our Store when we started business...

32 ft. 30 ft. Our Store now...

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REMNANT SALE

Remnants of everything at prices that if you can find anything you want you will buy : : : : :

Also 10 doz. children's silk lace mitts at.....5c pair
8 doz. ladies' black silk mitts at.....10c pair
The best low price summer corset on the market, double bone and 4-side steel.....24c
Chenille table spreads at.....39c
Special drive in remnants of embroideries and ornamental laces at.....10c per yd.
Some of these goods are worth twice the money.
White lawn ties.....25c per doz. or 2 for 5c
A good grain sack for.....12½c

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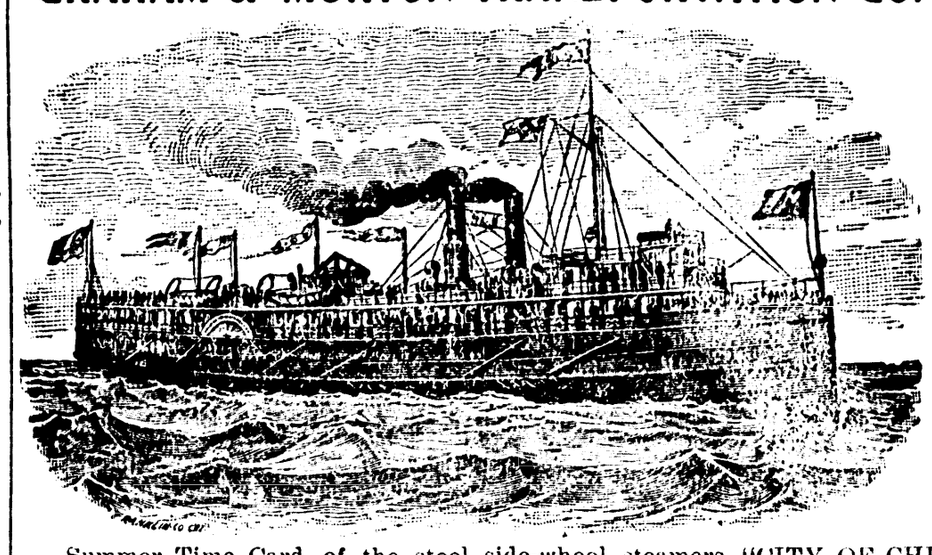
GRAHAM & MORTON TRANSPORTATION CO.



Summer Time Card of the steel side-wheel steamers "CITY OF CHICAGO" and "CITY OF MILWAUKEE" and the "CITY OF LOUISVILLE," running between Benton Harbor, St. Joseph and Chicago.

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago	—	Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Arrive Benton Harbor
9:00 p. m. daily inc. Sunday 6:45 a. m daily Sunday ex.	5:00 p. m. daily Sunday ex. 10:30 p m daily Inc. Sunday 7:30 a. m daily Sunday ex. 6:00 p. m. Sunday only	9:00 p. m. daily Sunday ex. 4:00 a. m. daily 11:30 a m daily Sunday ex. 10:00 p m Sunday only	— — — —	9:30 a. m. daily 12:30 noon d'ly Sat & Sun ex 11:30 p m daily Inc Sunday 10:00 a m Sunday only 2:00 p m Saturday only	1:30 p. m. daily 4:30 p. m daily Sat & Sun ex 4:00 a. m. daily 2:00 p. m. Sunday only 6:00 p. m. Saturday only	5:30 a. m. daily 7:00 p m Saturday only

The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.

Propeller "J. C. FORD" tri-weekly to Milwaukee, leaving Benton Harbor at 7:30 p. m., St. Joseph at 9 p. m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Leave Milwaukee at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

DOCKS—
CHICAGO—Foot of Wabash Ave.
MILWAUKEE—South Water St.
ST. JOSEPH—E. A. Graham.
BENTON HARBOR—N. Water St.

J. H. GRAHAM, President.

THE ELIXIR OF YOUTH

STRANDED WRECKS, He died of no disease known to medical science; he simple faded away—WEAKER, MORE NERVELESS, AND HOPELESS, day by day. Who is to blame? The UNHAPPY VICTIM drags out a miserable life, or SINKS INTO AN UNTIMELY GRAVE, for the want of TREATMENT. He has been humbugged by Fraud Remedies and SO-CALLED FREE CURES. We Challenge the WORLD. So write us to-day with Stamp for our Testimonials and FREE BOOK. Also statements from our Leading Druggists on the merit of this Great Remedy. THE ELIXIR OF YOUTH cures all NERVOUS DISEASES, such as WEAK MEMORY, Loss of Brain Power, Lost Vitality, NIGHTLY EMISSIONS, Evil Dreams, Headache, Pains in the Limbs and Back, and INSANITY caused by youthful errors, or excesses, overindulgence or abuse of any kind of either sex. Ask for Elixir of Youth; take no other. Do not let the druggist substitute some remedy of his own make, under a foreign name. $2 per bottle, six bottles for $5. Sold under a guarantee to cure, or money refunded. Prepared only by

SECRET SOCIETIES

TRIBE OF BEN HUR, HARBOR COURT No. 2, meets second and fourth Monday nights. EARL HEMINGWAY, Chief, MABEL GEER, Scribe.

BENTON DIVISION COURT NO. 1, ORDER of Patricians, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmen hall. All visiting Patricians cordially invited.
EDGAR P. WHALEN, Justice.
B. J. MORRISON, clerk.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Tent, No. 104, meet at Odd Fellows' hall regular review every Friday evening.
W. SHANKLAND, Com.
R. P. CHADDOCK, F. K. L. N. MURRAY, R. K.

BENTON LODGE NO. 122, I. O. O. F., MEETS every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.
ORA G. BERKEY, N. G.
B. O. JOHNSON, Sec'y.

Marquette Lodge, D. of R., meets every alternate Saturday evening. Mrs. Lizzie Hepler, N. G; B. O. Johnson, Sec'y.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER Camp No. 40 meet the second and fourth Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall on West Main street. Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received.
JOHN F. GERLING, Consul Commander.
A. D. LACY, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA, IVY Leaf Camp No 901 meets every Monday evening at the Woodmen Hall on West Main street. Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained. GEO. F. CUNNINGHAM, V. C.
N. G. WENELL Clerk.

BENTON HOME FORUM, 389, MEETS THE second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at Modern Woodmen hall. Visiting companions always welcome.
N. G. WENNELL, president.
MRS. CANNIE SILVER, secretary.

CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RAILWAY

In effect June 19, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Grand Rapids	2:15	7:30	3:40	6:25.
Benton Harbor	4:32	10:53	6:05	9:40.
St. Joseph	4:42	11:03	6:14	9:50.
Chicago	7:30	2:10	9:05	.....

GOING NORTH.

Stations.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.
Chicago	7:20	4:15	8:45	.....
St. Joseph	10:20	7:15	11:35	5:45.
Benton Harbor	10:30.	7:25	11:42	5:50.
Grand Rapids	1:25	10:30	2:00	9:10.
	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	a.m.

DETROIT, GD. RAPIDS & WESTERN R. R.

Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:25 p. m. and 5:35 p. m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a. m. and 4:20 p. m.
Parlor cars on all trains: seats 25 cents.

GEO. DEHAVEN, Gen. Pass. Agt., Grand Rapids.
JAS. MAHONEY, Agt., Benton Harbor.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. C. & ST. L. RAILWAY.
MICHIGAN DIVISION.

No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:00 p. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:00 p. m. Elkhart accommodation. Arrive at Benton Harbor: No. 26, 8:50 a. m. No. 22, 3:10 p. m. (So 24, 6:40.

VANDALIA LINE

TIME TABLE.
Taking effect June 19, 1898.

SOUTH BOUND

Stations	No. 3	No. 7	No. 15	No 17
St. Joseph	10:25 a m	4:00 p m	5:20 p m	6:00 p m
South Bend	11:45	5:13	6:48	7:20
Plymouth	12:30 p m	5:57	7:33	8:10
Logansport	2:15	7:15	9:00	9:45
Indi'napolis	5:45			
Terre H'te.	6:40	11:00		

NORTH BOUND

	No. 16	No. 14	No. 20	No. 6
Terre H'te.			1:00 p m	6:17 a m
Indi'napolis			11:45 a m	7:10
Logansport	7:00 a m	6:05 a m	4:35 p m	10:40
Plymouth	8:24	7:34	5:57	12:08 p m
South Bend	9:10	3:20	6:39	12:53
St. Joseph	10:30	9:35	7:45	2:15

Trains No. 16 and No. 17 run on Sunday only, and all other trains are daily except Sunday.

For complete Time Card, giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates, through cars, etc, address
FRANK R. HALE, Agent, St. Joseph, Mich.
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Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railway Co.

TIME TABLE.
Effective Thursday, July 7, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations	No 1 Dly ex Sun	No 3 Dly ex Sun	No 5 Dly	No 9 Sun O'ly	No 11 Sun O'ly	13 Sun O'ly
	am	pm	pm	am	am	pm
Benton Harbor	7 00	4 00	8 00	8 00	11 00	5 00
*Napier						
*Somerleyton	7 09	4 09	8 15	8 09	11 09	5 09
*Scottdale	7 11	4 12	8 20	8 11	11 11	5 11
*Royalton	7 14	4 16	8 25	8 14	11 14	5 14
*Hinchman	7 21	4 25	8 35	8 21	11 21	5 21
*Stemms	7 24	4 29	8 40	8 24	11 24	5 24
Berrien Springs	7 33	4 42	8 50	8 33	11 33	5 33
*Oakland	7 42	4 50	9 00	8 42	11 42	5 42
*Bainton's						
Buchanan	8 00	5 10	9 25	9 00	12 00	6,00

GOING NORTH.

Stations	No 2 Dly ex Sun	No 4 Dly ex Sat	No 6 Sat O'ly	10 Sun O'ly	12 Sun O'ly	14 Sun O'ly
	am	pm	pm	am	pm	pm
Buchanan	10 00	5 35	5 35	9 30	6 30	4 00
*Bainton's						
*Oakland	10 20	5 53	5 53	9 48	6 48	4 18
Berrien Spring	10 30	6 08	6 02	9 57	6 57	4 27
*Stemms	10 41	6 28	6 11	10 06	7 06	4 36
*Hinchman	10 45	6 36	6 14	10 09	7 09	4 39
*Royalton	10 54	6 43	6 21	10 16	7 16	4 46
*Scottdale	10 58	6 52	6 24	10 19	7 19	4 49
*Somerleyton	11 01	6 56	6 26	10 21	7 21	4 51
*Napier						
Benton Harbor	11 10	7 05	6 35	10 30	7 30	5 00

*Flag stations.

Benton Harbor Depot—E. Territorial Street.

B. E. DICKINSON, Gen. Frt. & Pass. Agt.

Paw Paw Lake Train Service

In effect June 26, 1898.

Leave Benton Harbor week days—5:50 a m, 10:30 a m, 2:20 p m and 5:05 p m, except Saturday. Leave Paw Paw Lake—10:15 a m, 1:15 p m, 4:00 p m and 9:05 p m.

Leave Benton Harbor Sundays—5:50 a m, 9:10 a m, 2:25 p m and 6:05 p m. Leave Paw Paw Lake—8:00 a m, 1:15 p m, 5:00 p m and 9:05 p m.

Dr. Freemyer,
Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon.

Specialist of years of experience in the treatment of diseases of the human system in all their various forms. Hemorrhoids, tumors and Fistulas removed without pain. All diseases of the Pelvic and Rectal organs treated and cured no matter how long standing. Don't give up because you have been told there is no help for you but consult the doctor. Office and residence, 112 Elm street. Hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4. All calls will receive prompt attention. Correspondence solicited with return stamp for reply.

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Practice limited to diseases of Women and children. Office, 112 Elm street. Office hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4.

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Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads

Does Draying Too.

Henry Wims & Son have added light draying to their other line of business. Orders for draying may be left at Hall's drug store.

Carpets cleaned and laid, stoves cleaned and stored, and whatever you want done, Wims & Son will do it and do it right. 846tf

Eastman Springs Water.

Eastman Springs water delivered at 5 cents per gallon. Leave orders at Adams Express office, in A. S. Miles' shoe store, 129 Pipestone street, phone 16. 799tf R. E. AYERS, Agent.

Hosbein & Barnes have a full supply of ice for the season.

Gasoline stoves cleaned and guaranteed. J. Strain, 140½ Pipestone St. tf832

Try Wallace Bros.' soda water.

Have your carpets cleaned by steam or the famous Jewel process. Office 110 Pipestone street, phone 260.

The best 5 cent cigar in town is the Admiral Dewey.

Full line of fire works at Wallace Bros.

MONEY TO LOAN

At 6 and 7 per cent according to security, amount and time. Abstracts of title furnished. We have a complete tax abstract of Berrien county and will furnish tax statements for 50 cents per lot. DIX & WILKINSON,
Court House, St. Joseph, Mich.

Thousands of persons have been cured of piles by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It heals promptly and cures eczema and all skin diseases. It gives immediate relief. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Farmers & Merchants

..BANK..

Benton Harbor, Mich.

Capital, $50,000 Surplus, $50,000

JOHN ROBINSON, President. CHAS. FOSTER, Cashier.
R. M. JONES, Vice Pres.

DIRECTORS—John Robinson, R. H. Sherwood, William Stewart, A. Plummer, Edward Brant, O. B. Hipp, R. M. Jones, W. P. Robbins and Charles Foster.

Do a General Banking Business

:Savings Department::

Interest paid on Deposits.

GASOLINE STOVES repaired as they should be.

LAWN MOWERS made to cut as good as new.

KEYS made to fit any lock.

FURNITURE repaired, Upholstered and Varnished.

We do all kinds of Repairing right.

We buy, sell or exchange everything in Stoves, Furniture and Household goods.

WANTED—Fruit Cans and Paper Covered Novels.

Yellow Front Bargain Store

161 PIPESTONE ST.

Hot Day and Company Coming.

Ice cream delivered in time for dinner or supper at $1 a gallon or 25 cents a quart, by Rouse Ice company, corner of Park, Water and Sixth streets. Twin City 'phone, 271.

All the cream that is delivered is packed in ice to keep for several hours.

Annex..

Restaurant

104 Water Street.

Best in the Twin Cities for 25 Cents.

..Tickets, 21 Meals for $3..

PERCY COLES, PROP.

MRS. LAURA ELDRED

TEACHER OF

PIANO and ORGAN

I use the latest and most improved methods and make special terms to beginners in classes.

STUDIO: GRAHAM BLOCK.
Over Morrow & Stone's.

S. M. WHITE

..DENTIST..

Jones & Sonner Block,
Benton Harbor.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

SPENCER & Barnes are advertising for a wood turner.

YOUNG settlers' picnic will be held in Berrien Springs Wednesday, August 3.

THE excursion of the Maccabees to Somerleyton advertised for tomorrow has been postponed and the date will be announced later.

THE case of the People vs Miller and Freeman, which was called before an Eau Claire justice yesterday, was adjourned until next Monday.

MRS. E. Comstock, mother of Mrs. George B. Simons, is failing rapidly and her death is evidently near at hand. Mr. Simons left for Albion this afternoon.

THE ladies of St. Johns' church and their friends to the number of 75 took the river steamer Tourist this morning for Somerleyton where they are spending the day.

MISS Cheek, the heroine of the late fire who was seriously hurt by some object hitting the back of her head, has been delirious at times but is reported as slowly recovering.

IRVING Clauser, an employe of the Colby-Hinkley company, had the fingers of his right hand cut in a severe manner on a rip saw this morning. Dr. John Bell dressed the wounds

SOME fiend with a sandbag made arrangements to tackle some citizen but was scared away. The sandbag was found in the lumber yard and is now an ornament in the office of Chief Hepler

J. W. FORSYTH, of this city, is the boss carpenter on the M., B. H. & C. and has a force of men at Buchanan repairing the depot. He has built neat little warehouses at all the stations along the line.

J. T. BECKWITH and C. H. Farnum, directors of the Berrien county mutual, last week adjusted the loss of William Adams of Covert township, Van Buren county, whose house recently burned, by allowing him $350.

AT the meeting of the board of trade last evening a vote of thanks was tendered President J. H. Graham for furnishing transportation to a party of Chicago manufacturers to visit Benton Harbor for the purpose of investigating a new site for their establishment.

THE A. M. E. Sunday school will run an excursion to Somerleyton tomorrow. The Tourist will leave its dock in this city at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning and returning will leave Somerleyton at 6. The fare for the round trip is 15 cents and tickets may be had at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

DEPUTY Collector Antisdale says that scarcely anyone realizes the enormous amount of business being done here by the Peters lumber company. One barge, the J. W. Naughten, has alone brought here over 3,000,000 feet of lumber this spring. Mr. Antisdale made out one manifest for the Naughten for 2,084,000 feet of lumber.

Dr. S. M White, dentist

Geo. D. Alger, Watchmaker.

Ralph Benton at Baker's hardware store cleans gasoline stoves. tf846

Sick headache, biliousness, constipation and all liver and stomach troubles can be quickly cured by using those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They are pleasant to take and never gripe. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Gasoline stoves cleaned and guaranteed. J. Strain, 140½ Pipestone street

Have your carpets cleaned by steam or the famous Jewel process. Office 110 Pipestone street, phone 260.

Lister's Bone Meal.

This famous bone meal which has stood the test of years may be obtained by leaving orders with H. P. Boehm, Benton Harbor, or with the general agent.
tf681 C. H. FARNUM, Hagar.

The Chief Burgess of Milesburg, Pa., says DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills he ever used in his family during forty years of housekeeping. They cure constipation, sick headache and stomach and liver troubles. Small in size but great in results. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Raspberries and Currants.

Black raspberries and currants delivered at your house at 49 cents per case. Address Bert Smith, box 435, Benton Harbor, Mich. 3t857

E. C. Blanks, of Lewisville, Texas, writes that one box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was worth $50.00 to him. It cured his piles of ten years standing. He advises others to try it. It also cures eczema, skin diseases and obstinate sores. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

The finest turnouts in the city and at the cheapest prices is at N. Gifford's, Elm street livery. Transfer to any part of the city, 25 cents. Twin City phone 22, Bell phone 35. tf839

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster, of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by G. M. Bell & Co. Druggists, Benton Harbor, 102 Main street.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure, 50c, $1. All druggists.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The second installment of books are now in the library. They are for the most part works that have been ordered by the members and have among them some of the best up-to-date writings. Owing to the frequent changes it will not be practicable to issue a catalogue, but we shall be pleased to have you call at the rooms during library hours and see them.

We need a few more hit-and-miss carpet rags for the new carpet. Send your name if you have any and we will gladly call and get them.

Some are wondering why the glowing visions of athletic grounds and bicycle tracks pictured to the public a few moons ago have not materialized. We rise to explain. Our atheletic leader, Lambert Neimyer, is out of the city for the summer, while those most interested in the enterprise are exercising for Uncle Sam down in Cuba, so we concluded it wiser to give it up for this season. We furnished Company I with 16 of its best men.

We are glad to learn that the Y. M. C. A. army work for the boys of this state is to have a thorough canvass and be brought before the people. One of our old standbys, Charles Tompkins, has been assigned by State Secretary Copeland the counties of Allegan, Van Buren, Cass and Berrien and will visit the principal towns during his vacation. We trust we may have a hearty response by our own cities.

Lawn Social.

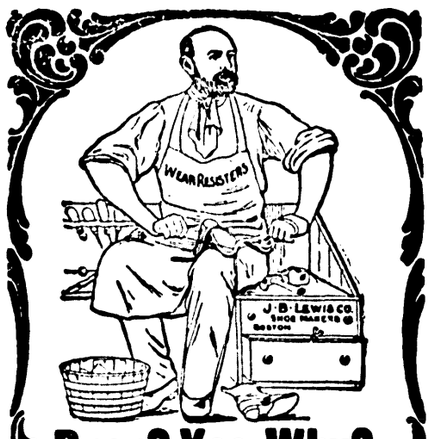
The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church will hold a lawn social at the home of M. E. Leighton on Buss street, Friday, July 22. Everybody come.

"Looking Indian."

"Why don't you look Indian for it?" a small boy asked recently, on finding his sisters vainly searching for a missing trinket which had been dropped in the hall, and before the young ladies could think what this might mean the youngster had spread himself full-length upon the floor, as near to the dead level as possible. The missing article was thus made plainly visible. By putting the head to the ground or floor the smallest object between one's self and the horizon or the wall appears, while it escapes our notice when standing erect.

Carrier Pigeons in Hawaii.

A carrier pigeon club has been formed on the Hawaiian islands for the rapid conveyance of letters. More than fifty stations have been established already.



Busy? Yes. Why?

Because its hard work to supply the demand all over the country for

J. B. LEWIS CO'S
"Wear Resisters"

They sell well, look well, feel well, wear well. For men, women and children. Look for "Lewis" on every shoe. Made only by the J. B. LEWIS CO., Boston, Mass.

LEWIS "WEAR RESISTERS" are sold by

JOSEPH FRICK, 113 Territorial Street

.NOTICE.

The Excelsior Mineral Bath House

Will be open to give baths on Saturday, July 9, and thereafter

The Ladies' Department will be opened July 11.

Respectfully,

EXCELSIOR MINERAL WATER CO...

.DOMESTIC.

COMBINED

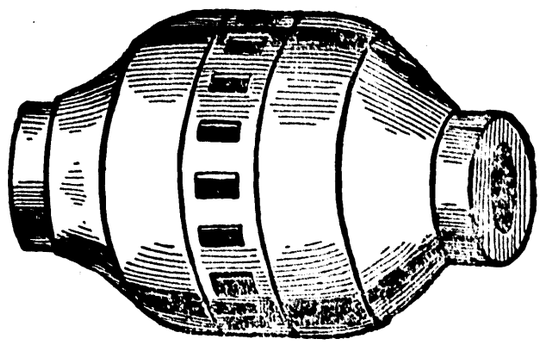
Evaporator, Baker and Refrigerator

The greatest invention of the age and one which every fruit-grower should have.

Will save its cost in from 4 to 8 Weeks.

For particulars address

Domestic Evaporator Company,

The  **Hub**

112 Pipestone Street

.Before Inventory Sale.

We invoice our Stock on July 5

We prefer to invoice cash instead of goods. In order to do so we will for the next two weeks offer the balance of our immense stock of fine clothing at prices lower than the lowest:

Men's good business suits - $2.50 worth $5.00
Men's good business suits - $3.00 worth $7.00
Men's good blue flannel suits, $3.50 worth $7.00
Men's good pants - - - 50c worth $1.00
Youths' and Boys' summer coats and vests - - - - - - - 50c worth $1.50
Boys' suits - - - - - 70c worth $1.50
Boys' pants - - - - - - 20c and up.

We also have a fine line of Men's, Youth's and Boys' Clothing at 25 per cent less than any house in the city.

Our Hat and Furnishing Goods departments comprising all the latest styles and novelties at prices unheard of. Call and be convinced.

All goods warranted as represented or money refunded.

..THE HUB..

Clothiers, Hatters and Men's Furnishers,

Our Grand Red Letter Clearing Sale

Another year has rolled around, and we beg to announce our sale of all sales. Always after the 4th of July we clear everything out in Shirt Waists and Summer Goods at just

. . . 1-2 the Regular Price

Our Shirt Waists are divided into 3 lots:

Waists that sold for 69c, 75c, all go for 49c.
Waists that Sold for 85c, $1, $1.25, all go for 69c
Waists that sold for $1.25, $1.39, $1.50, $1.59, all go for 89c.

Wash Dress Goods Cut in 2...

We have a big stock of Fall and Winter Dress Goods on the way and must make room for them.

Our 14c Organdies cut in 2, now selling at 7c.
Our 18c Organdies, Dimities and Mossolines, 1-2 price, 9c yd.
Our 8c and 10c Lawns and Dimities all go at 5c.

We have bargains in anything and everything

Yours for trade,

CHICAGO BARGAIN STORE

Benton Harbor,
106 E. Main Street, Hotel Benton Block...

from Hon. Thomas Jones, asking him to see the Columbia Cigar Co., 115 Pipestone street, and engage half a thousand well seasoned Columbia cigars for Mr. Jones' reception. He had tried this favorite brand while at the Hotel Higbee and learned the maker's name He was sure they were all right.

From a Health Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones are very careful to inquire about the purity of their drinking water supply and are no less particular about the ice they buy. Considerable inquiry convinced them that

TOM, JR.

Reed's lake ice sold by Hosbein & Barnes was of a satisfactory quality and purity, and they placed an order with Hosbein & Barnes with entire confidence that the service and ice would be satisfactory.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Ella Scott, by her solicitor, W. C. Hicks, has filed a bill for divorce from John E. Scott, alleging that some time ago John left her to support herself without reasonable excuse and for no fault of hers.

Probate Court.

The claim of Harriet McOmber of $3,060 for the care of Livonia Van Duhoof, deceased, during her last illness, was heard by the court, Col. Ed. Bacon appearing for the claimant, and A. A. Worthington as attorney for the estate. The testimony of claimant in part was taken, and the case continued to July 26, at 10 a. m.

Hungry for Doughnuts.

Niles, July 13.—Horace Correll, of this city, a member of Company I, 33d Michigan, in a letter describes the trip from Fortress Monroe to Santiago, bemoans the poor quality of the food, which consisted of corn beef, canned beans, hardtack and coffee. He writes: "I would thrash all day for just one more square meal at home. Gee! how good doughnuts and pies would taste again."

The Victory rests with American's Greatest Medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, when it battles against any disease caused or promoted by impure or impoverished blood.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic. Easy to take, easy to operate.

HINTS TO BARGAIN SEEKERS.

Business Announcements That Pay to Consider.

The Enterprise Mercantile company are conducting a millinery sale. Trimmed and untrimmed hats at prices that can't be equalled. $1.50 sailors for 25 cents. They are bound to close out this year's stock.

E. W. Moore has several specials in both his dry goods and grocery departments. Some things in his dry goods department that he is closing out. His ad tells all about it.

Height of British Soldiers.

It is interesting to note that out of every 1,000 men in the British army there are eighteen over 6 feet in stature, twenty-seven of 5 feet 11 inches, fifty-two of 5 feet 10 inches, ninety-three of 5 feet 9 inches, 141 of 5 feet 8 inches, and 184 of 5 feet 7 inches. Taking one year with another, it is found that these figures vary but slightly each twelve months. Out of the 2,000 British soldiers of 6 feet and over, 400 are in the line regiments.

Wall Paper Oddity.

Zinc wall paper is the latest oddity. The zinc is attached to the wall by a cement invented for the purpose, and is made to imitate marble. The surface is enameled so as to render it permanent or washable. It is claimed for this new departure in decorative material that, while it is as permanent as tiles or marble, is much cheaper, and can be as easily put on as ordinary wall paper.

Stone Soles.

An inventor has hit upon a method of putting stone soles on boots and shoes. He mixes a water-proof glue with a suitable quantity of clean quartz sand, and spreads it over the leather sole used as foundation. These quartz soles are said to be very flexible and practically indestructible, and to give the foot a firm hold even on the most slippery surface.

THE LEADER STORE.

We have just bought out a stock of clothing and gents' furnishings at 50 cents on the dollar and will sell the same below first cost. Also shoes, underwear, notions, glassware and tinware are sold at the lowest prices in town. If you need anything in the line of jewelry and watches or repairing come to us and find out our prices. 118 West Main street, opposite Farmers & Merchants bank. B. JOSEPH, Proprietor. 846tf

Hopkins' drug store open every night July 4 o'clock. tf828

No-Ture Constipation Forever.

Guaranteed tobacco habit Cathartic. 10c or 50c, [illegible] cures, blood pure, druggists refund money.

BY ACCLAMATION.

ROMAN I. JARVIS EXPECTS TO BE NOMINATED.

Possible That Two Other Candidates Will Be Mentioned in a Complimentary Way.

The democratic congressional convention of this district will be held at Three Rivers, August 31, and at that time it is certain that Hon. Roman I. Jarvis of this city will be nominated by acclamation. Cavanaugh of Van Buren and Kimmerle of Cass may possibly be mentioned in a complimentary way.

One of the leaders of the local democracy stated this morning that the party was now more perfectly united than had been the case for many years. He added that there were now but two democrats in the county who are not in accord with the position of the party.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

A. J. Beeny is in Hartford today.

Mrs. Minnie McKellar, of Chicago, is in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Oriel Chapman have returned from their wedding trip through the south.

Captain Rounds and wife, L. G. Smith and wife, J. S. Barker and wife and their friends to the number of sixteen spent the day at Pottowatomie park yesterday.

Miss Mamie Vuylsteke, the only daughter of A. Vuylsteke of this city, was married in Chicago Monday to Ray E. Lee of Buchanan. Miss Vuylsteke returned from a trip of several months abroad July 4. Mr. Lee is a brother of Fred E. Lee, the manager of the Beckwith estate at Dowagiac.

THE FASHIONS.

Great Change from the Time of the Pilgrim Fathers.

In the year of the Pilgrim Fathers little attention was paid to dress except to be properly clothed in homespun and shaker bonnet and the changes of style were unknown as they are today.

But how different are the tastes of our ladies, young and old.

A few weeks passed and new ideas are produced in hats and every lady must have a change.

Easter seems a long time ago and many who almost froze that day in order to wear a new spring hat are now ready for another.

Our millinery business this season has been remarkable and has far exceeded our expectations and we wish to take this place and time to thank our patrons.

There never was such a perfect stock of millinery goods shown here and the public has shown its appreciation of our efforts.

Now we are going to show our appreciation of your patronage in a substantial manner and will enable every lady to purchase another hat at a very low price.

To do this we have divided all trimmed hats into two lots and marked them all alike

One lot worth up to $3.00 all go at 98 cents each.

The others worth all over $3 to $6 all go at $1.98.

100 untrimmed hats to close out quick will go at 5c each.

Don't miss the sale as it is positively our Summer Clearing sale of millinery for this season and we advise you to call early and secure the best selection.

These prices last till the hats are all gone.

Sailors worth up to $1.50, one lot goes at 25c each.

ENTERPRISE MERCANTILE CO., 116 E. Main St., Benton Harbor.

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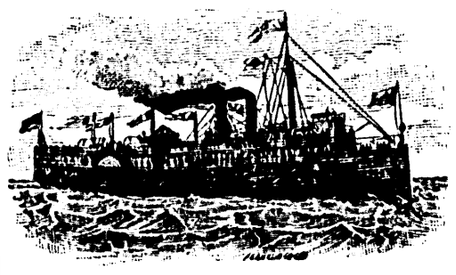

Early Morning Boat for Chicago

Every morning except Sunday, leaving Benton Harbor at 6:45 and St. Joseph at 7:30. Leave Chicago at 12:30 noon, arrive in St. Joseph at 4:30. Fare, $1.00 round trip. Best trip for pleasure ever given from the cities. Some hot day try it. All regular tickets good on these trips. "City of Louisville" leaves Benton Harbor at 9 p. m. daily, except Saturday, direct for Chicago. Fare $1.00, including berth.

Graham & Morton Transportation Co.

Pentwater, Muskegon and Grand Rapids Sunday Excursion, July 24.

Here's a combination of pleasant places for a Sunday outing offered by the C. & W. M. Ry. You may have friends along the lake shore who would be glad to see you even for a few hours. If so, you ought to visit them. If not, go anyway and see what pleasant places there are all along the line to Pentwater. Of course you know all about the many attractions at Grand Rapids. Train will leave Benton Harbor at 6:40 a. m. and arrive at Pentwater at 12:30 a. m., Grand Rapids at 10 a. m. Leave returning, Pentwater, 4 p. m., Grand Rapids 6:25 p. m. Round trip fare to Muskegon $1.00, Pentwater $1.50, Grand Rapids $1.00.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

The editor of the Evans City, Pa., Globe writes. "One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It cured my children after all other remedies failed." It cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

At the Daylight Store..

We have about 50 dozen Ladies' "Puritan Black" Hose that have been selling at 15c pair, for 3 days we offer them at 9c pair. No more than two pair to one customer. First come first served.

In Lawns and Dimities....

We are cleaning up a lot of 30-inch goods at 3c and 6c yd., old price 7c and 10c

Sheets and Pillow Cases...

Ready made, good quality, full size, at 25c and 90c pair.

Linen Toweling....

300 yds. bleached all linen crash, 5-yd. piece 18c

Big Muslin Job....

A fine unbleached sheeting muslin, always sold at 7½c to 8c yd, for a few days you get 20 yds. for $1.00.

We Can Save You Money

On Wall Paper, Window Shades, Feathers, Carpets, Mattings, Ladies' ready made Wrappers, Skirts, Muslin Underwear, or anything else in Dry Goods or Notions.

..Our Grocery Department..

Can't be Beat in Price or Quality.

Try our Michigan Family Soap, 10 bars for.....25c
Try our Uncolored Japan Tea at.....29c
Try our Extra Fine 50c Tea at.....35c
Try our Ceylon 75c Tea at.....50c
Try our Fresh Roasted Coffee at 12c a lb., and our No. 5 at.....18c

Telephone No. 9. All goods delivered free to any part of the city.

E. W. MOORE...

Sweet Block, 131-137 Pipestone Street.

Take Your Work

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City Steam Laundry

The Largest and Best Equipped ..in Southern Michigan

RELIABILITY

is a quality some newspapers have lost sight of in these days of "yellow" journalism. They care little for truth and a great deal for temporary sensation.

It is not so with THE CHICAGO RECORD.

The success of THE RECORD rests upon its reliability.

It prints the news—all the news—and tells the truth about it.

It is the only American newspaper outside New York city that has its own exclusive dispatch boat service and its own staff correspondents and artists at the front in both hemispheres.

It is the best illustrated daily newspaper in the world.

Its war news service is unapproachably the best.

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Sold by newsdealers everywhere and subscriptions received by all postmasters. Address THE CHICAGO RECORD, 181 Madison street, Chicago.

Any Druggist...

may with safety say to his customer USE **KEPHART'S I-P-C** FOR **Itching Piles**

for it cures every time. It is an invaluable remedy for Eczema, Salt Rheum, Burns, and all itching surfaces. Also used by Horsemen for Scratches and sore necks on horses.

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THE EVENING NEWS.

THIRD YEAR—NO. 859. BENTON HARBOR, MICH., WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1898. TWO CENTS

Jackson's Gun Store

makes me weary to see how cheap Bicycle are being sold in Benton Harbor this season. Next year they will not be worth more han $1.75 for a great gross. A large hayrack full of all kinds of unredeemed Bicycles at $13, $14.00 and $15.00 each. 90 unredeemed watches of all kinds at ⅓ value. 96 gold rings of all kinds at 40 per cent on the dollar. Revolvers and shotguns, the largest stock and the lowest prices in either city. I will pay $1.25 apiece for all the gold dollars that I can get. Will pay cash for OLD GOLD. Will buy the receiver's certificates of the First National bank. Will cash the time checks of the M. B. H. & C. R. R Men's suits of clothing bought and sold.

I Loan Money on all Kinds of Personal Property...

And I always have about 14 wagon loads of second-hand truck for sale. 16 second-hand sewing machines will be sold now. I will pay cash for good second-hand breech-loading shotguns; no muzzle loaders wanted. Headquarters for anything that shoots. Shotguns and rifles to hire by the day or week. A small cargo of gun powder just received, selling at 30 cents per pound. I have not advanced the price on any line of ammunition yet.

A Large Bankrupt Stock of Fishing Tackle for Sale.

Inspection invited at

JACKSON'S...

Dealer in Almost Everything.
108 Water Street...

BERRY MEN HAPPY.

They Made Heavy Shipments Last Night and Secured Very Good Prices.

BLACKBERRIES ARE LOWER.

Black Raspberries Find a Ready Market Today at 45 Cents a Case.

Last night was the best of the season for the berry growers. From Benton Harbor and St. Joseph 23,000 cases of berries were shipped, the bulk being black raspberries which were sold for 45 cents a case and the same price is prevailing today. The fruit shipped last night will put $1,000 in circulation here. Another large shipment is expected tonight.

Blackberries are much lower, selling today from 65 to 75 cents per case, while red berries command 60 cents.

PATRIOTIC.

MIAMI CLUB WILL CARRY HER MEMBERS THROUGH WAR.

The Annual Meeting of the Club Was Held Last Evening—Reports of the Officers.

The annual meeting of the Miami club was held last evening at the club rooms for the purpose of election of directors and receiving reports of the officers. G. M. Valentine, C. M. Edick, Joseph Keavy, C. J. Peck and H. A. Foeltzer were elected directors for full term and S. A. Bailey and Dr. W. C. Bastar to fill vacancies caused by absence of F. P. Graves and Harry Pound.

Resolutions were passed that all members absent from town in the service of the United States be carried as honorary members without dues until they return and notices be sent to them of the club's action.

Reports of officers show the club in a good flourishing condition.

A BIG CROP.

Niles Farmers Harvesting Best Wheat Crop in 20 Years.

Niles, July 13.—The farmers are busy with threshing, and from reports the wheat crop is better, and averaging more grain to the acre than in the past twenty years.

Niles Recruits Left.

Niles, July 13.—The following Niles boys left last night with Homer Chapin for Island Lake: L. M. Peak, Robert Chamber, William Matthews, Arthur Lambut, Albert Moody, John Hatfield, jr., William Glenn, William Darling, William Allen and James Leonard.

Marriage Licenses.

Ralph Garrison, 21, Benton Harbor; Theresa Hepler, 21, St. Joseph.

Couldn't Be In Two Places at Once.

Doctor—Your wife must have chicken broth three times a day, and you must give her a spoonful of this medicine every hour during the night. Mr. Jackson (dubiously)—Wa'al, doctah, I doan' see how yo' expec' me toe pervide her wif chicken broff an' gib her dat medicine at de same time.

The ice sold by Hosbein & Barnes is from 10 to 14 inches thick and free from snow. Telephone 242.

DEWEY AGAIN HEARD FROM.

Captured Five Thousand Spaniards.

The Enemy Made No Resistance.

Much Ammunition Was Captured.

Washington, July 13.—The authorities have again heard cheering news from Admiral Dewey, the hero who is looking after the American interests in Manila Bay.

A cable just received from Hong Kong announces that he has captured the Spanish garrison on Grand Island in Subig Bay, consisting of Col. Rio and five thousand men. Not a shot was fired by the Spaniards.

The Americans captured a large amount of ammunition.

Madrid, July 13.—A dispatch from Iloilo says that Dewey expects to make an attack on Manila Friday.

A REPULSE.

Gen. Blanco Reports Another "Victory."

Madrid, July 13.—Gen. Blanco reports the repulse of a landing party at Tayabacoa, and also that an American transport is aground at Punta Canry.

MAD AS HORNETS.

NILES TAXPAYERS DO NOT WANT FREE BOOKS.

Many Said to Have Voted Who Had No Right to and Attorney General Appealed To.

Niles, July 13.—Tax payers in general are red-hot over the adoption of the free text book system for the local school from the fact that the vote for adoption was mainly cast, so they declare, by non-freeholders. These people had no right to vote, it is said, and therefore it is believed the election was illegal. The attorney general has been appealed to, to render an opinion. Local book dealers are also as mad as hornets.

A CENT LOWER.

Wheat Takes Another Drop on the Chicago Board.

Chicago, July 13.—Following are the closing prices on the board of trade today: Wheat, 74; corn, 31½; oats, 22⅝.

SHORTEST ROUTE.

A TIP TO THE ROYALTON FARMERS.

The River Road is the Best But the New Road the Shortest from the Bridge.

There has been more discussions as to the shortest route from the new bridge to C. J. Peck's furniture store and which would be the choice in the great race for the $50 bedroom suite, July 23.

In order to solve the problem Messrs. Poole, Wells, Enders and Carley, measured the distance by cyclometers. They found by the river road from the brow of the hill on this side to Peck's store was four and one-eighth miles and by the new road was three and seven-eighths but found the roads much superior by the river road so the new road has the advantage in distance and the river road in condition.

Residents along both roads undoubtedly will have an opportunity to watch struggling teams and clouds of dust flying towards the popular furniture dealer. Peck says the reason he requires only lumber wagons to compete for the prize is that he don't want anything "buggy" about the bedroom suit.

SWEET REVENGE.

Grand Jury Victims Had Foreman Holmes Arrested.

Several days ago John G. Holmes, foreman of the late grand jury and one of Buchanan's best citizens, was hunting sparrows and a stray shot struck Mrs. George Smith, who was in a cherry tree and hidden by the foliage. It was a pure accident and the reasonable citizens sympathized with Mr. Holmes. Harry Churchill swore out a warrant for his arrest and it cost Mr. Holmes $7.75 in fine and costs. It will be recalled that the late grand jury indicted Churchill for running a gambling house and he plead guilty and paid a heavy fine. And this is the revenge he took upon Mr. Holmes for doing his duty. Buchanan is a queer place if it encourages such work.

MINES TO BE EXPLODED.

Seacoast Cities Believe Danger is All Over.

Chicago, July 13.—A Washington dispatch to the Chicago Times Herald says:

All the submarine mines protecting the harbors of the United States are at once to be exploded. The government has reached the conclusion that Spain has been rendered powerless to harm coast towns, and that the submarine engines of war are not needed.

The decision for the removal of the mines was reached at a cabinet meeting today. It is considered indicative not only of the confidence of the administration that no attack is to be feared, but that peace is soon to be concluded.

Business interests will be greatly benefited by the destruction of the mines, which have impeded commerce to an extent not understood by persons not engaged in marine traffic. In a general way it has been practically impossible during the last two months for vessels to leave or enter American ports between sunset and sunrise. The conditions became so onerous that urgent protests were made to the war department; and soon after the destruction of Cervera's fleet the matter was taken up by the president and his advisors for serious consideration. The conclusion was reached today and there is no further use for the mines, and that the safest and quickest way of disposing of them is to explode them. Orders to this effect have been dispatched to all United States engineer offices in charge of harbor defenses, and in a day or so the embargo on commerce will be raised.

MUST BE PEACE.

Premier Sagasta Says It Is the Only Remedy.

London, July 13.—The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail says:

Senor Sagasta being asked as to whether a decision had been made regarding peace replied:

"No, but what remedy can there be but to make peace?"

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Thursday. Partly cloudy with probably rain.

First Steamship to Cross the Atlantic.

It was under the American flag that the first steamship crossed the Atlantic. The Savannah, built in New York by Francis Picket, was a vessel of 300 tons burden, and was still in the stocks when Wm. Scarborough, a wealthy merchant of Savannah, Ga., bought her. He advertised extensively for passengers and freight to start the trans-Atlantic voyage. There were no responses; people everywhere were enthusiastic, but were not confident enough to risk either life or property in such an undertaking. On the 20th of May, 1819, the Savannah started; twenty-two days later she ran into the river Mersey and came to anchor off Liverpool, "with not a scheen, bolt or rope-yarn parted."

Mr. Staybolt's Philosophy.

"Hope is a fine thing," said Mr. Staybolt, "sure. We'd be a pretty miserable lot, most of us, without it. And a man can get along very comfortably for quite a spell on nothing else, without doing a blessed thing but hope that things will come his way. But while hope makes a bright light it doesn't give out very much heat; if a man wants that he must dig for it. It's a fortunate thing for a man to make this discovery early, and the man who mixes the most digging with his hopefulness has the most reason to be hopeful."—New York Sun.

A Joke in a Heavy Atmosphere.

From the San Francisco Argonaut: A clever mot was made by a member of parliament during another member's prosy speech. The latter happening to yawn during his remarks, the other commented, "This man is not without taste, but he usurps our privilege."

Mid-summer clearing sale of all millinery for next 30 days at Chadwick & Rehm's, Van Horn's store. 12t858

Trimmed hats at cost this week at Chadwick & Rehm's, Van Horn's store.

Gasoline stoves cleaned and guaranteed. J. Strain, 140½ Pipestone street.

The Busy Department Store

FERRY & RAPP

Summer Underwear Clearance...

25 doz. Ladies' Jersey Vests at 3c each.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, were 15c, clearance price, 9c.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, were 20c, clearance price, 13c.

Ladies' Jersey Vests, were 25c to 35c, clearance price, 19c.

Ladies' silk pleated Vests, were 75c, clearance price, 48c.

Extraordinary Bargains...

25 doz. Summer Corsets for 19c.

1000 yds, Irish Lawns at 2c yd., worth 6c

1500 yds. Dimities at 4c, worth 10c

2000 yds. Fine Corded Dimities at 7c, worth 12c and 15c.

Jackets and Skirts...

Ending of the greatest bargains offered in Jackets and Skirts, your choice at less than real cost to manufacture.

Ladies' Tan Jacket, worth $6 for $3.48.

Ladies' Tan Jacket, silk lined, worth $8.00 for $4.33.

Ladies' Skirts, blk brocade, worth $2.25 for $1.39.

Our Grocery Department Offers

Corn meal, per sack	10c	Bacon, per lb	9c
Lard, per lb	5c	Four crown raisins, 5 lbs for	25c
4 bars Castile soap	5c	Extra fine salmon, 3 cans for	25c
XXXX coffee, per lb	10c	Wild Cherry phosphate, 3 for	25c

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SPECIAL SALE

At Miles' Shoe Store

Ladies' Oxfords,

$1.25 and $1.50 values for 75c

Men's Tan Shoes,

$2.50 and $2.75 values for $2

Don't miss this chance to get Footwear at a bargain...

Corner Pipestone and Michigan Streets.. Sweet Block

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$50-Bedroom Suit-$50

WILL BE GIVEN AWAY

Saturday Morning, July 23, 1898,

IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER:

At 9:45 a. m. Saturday, July 23, 1898, for fifteen minutes, tickets will be given out to every farmer residing on the south side of river, who drives a team and lumber wagon across the Royalton bridge near Somerleyton.

Of the farmers so receiving the tickets, the first one to drive into town with said team and wagon and enter the front door to our store, 107 East Main street, wins the suit on presentation of the ticket.

The bedroom suit is now on exhibition in our show windows where it will remain until its owner takes it away.

After due consideration we adopt this method as the fairest way to carry out our advertisement of one year ago.

Tickets will be given out at the south end of bridge only.

All are invited to the store to see the contest and all are cautioned to beware of accidents.

C. J. PECK...

107 East Main Street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

Our Special Sale for July - - -

The best article for the price is none too good for you. Here are a few of the things that will do you good to look at

White piques, just the thing for the hot months, we have them from 12½ to 25 cents.

Muslin and gauze underwear, our stock is complete.

Linen crash for skirts from 9c to 20c; all new.

Organdie lisse at 12½c.

Dudeen lawns, 38 inch wide, at 18c.

Organdie Mignonine, 30 inch wide, at 10c.

Imported Swiss organdies at 17c and 25c.

Ready made linen skirts from $1 to $2.

Tailor made mohair and wool skirts from $1.50 to $4.50.

Suits, capes and jackets, all to close this month. See them while the assortment is good.

The best assortment of shirt waists in the city. See them, the styles and prices are right.

We have a number of short lengths of wool dress goods, just the thing for skirts, to close at about half price.

Our 19c and 25c summer corsets are the best shown for the price.

James Pound

Trimmed Hats..

We have an elegant assortment of fine Trimmed Hats which we are going to close out at

$1.00 and $1.50

A reduction in all millinery goods : ; : :·: See our latest styles in sailors.

..THE MISSES DALRYMPLE

Smoke "The Columbia," the cigar renowned,
Made in Benton Harbor, none better can be found,
Of choice tobacco made, everywhere today seen,
King of all, "Columbia" reigns supreme,
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The delight of smokers, young and old,
Happy are they, who for "Columbia" call,
Elegant in flavor, a cigar surpassing all.

Columbia brand a reputation now has won,
On all sides pronounced "best" by everyone.
Look where you will, go where you may,
Unexcelled for 5c, "The Columbia" is today,
Merchants' delight, the mechanics' friend.
Buy "Columbia," on quality you can depend.
Insist on the best, for "Columbia" call,
A five cent cigar that surpasses all.

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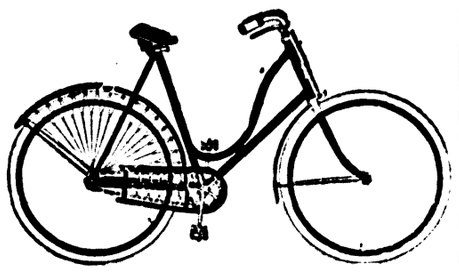

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Everybody can afford to use ice this season as we have lots of ice and are making the prices right. Get our prices before buying.

LEAVE ORDERS AT A. H. CONKEY & SON'S GROCERY STORE.

TORAL ANSWERS NO.

Spanish Commander at Santiago Once More Refuses to Surrender Without Terms.

NO FIGHTING FOLLOWS THE REPLY

Shafter Wants to Get His Batteries into Position Before He Begins.

Rome Has a Report That the City Has Capitulated, but There Is Nothing New at Washington, Where the Surrender Is Confidently Expected Almost Any Moment—Danish Government Ties Up a Lot of Our Coal on Neutrality Principles.

Washington, July 13.—Last night was a night of anxious waiting, both at the White House and at the war department. Information from General Shafter was momentarily expected, but up to 1:15 o'clock this morning not a word of official news had been received.

Rome, July 13.—The Tribuna, of this city, publishes an undated Kingston, Jamaica, dispatch received at 6:20 p. m. yesterday, affirming that the city of Santiago de Cuba has capitulated.

Before Santiago, via Playa del Este, Guantanamo Bay, July 13.—[Copyright, 1898, by the Associated Press.]—Yesterday morning General Toral sent out a reply to General Shafter's second demand for the unconditional surrender of Santiago, made by the latter Monday afternoon. In his reply General Toral referred to his refusal to accede to the American demand made on Sunday, and again reiterated his determination to resist. Notwithstanding this the American batteries did not open fire yesterday morning and the renewal of the bombardment will probably be postponed until all of Randolph's batteries are in position.

Our Men Ready to Strike Hard.

The siege guns landed Monday will also be brought up as soon as possible. Torrents of rain fell Monday night, drowning out the boys in the trenches and making the roads almost impassable. This may delay the batteries and siege guns. The volunters who are being hurried on to the front are being located along the right center in the positions which have been occupied by General Lawton's division, while the latter has moved forward, extending our right until it almost touches the road to Caimenes, over which General Toral would have to retreat if he should now be foolhardy enough to make the attempt. The Cubans under General Calixto Garcia took Caimenes without opposition on Monday night, and have entrenchments on either side of the road. The Americans are now in position to strike the enemy on the left flank and roll it up, making the Spanish entrenchments north of the city untenable.

Toral Preparing for the Fight.

General Toral, realizing the weakness of this flank, has been busy during the existence of the truce in doubling back with entrenchments and fixing his guns in the direction from which he is threatened. Most of General Randolph's guns will be located upon the heights in the center of General Lawton's new position, where they command the town. Monday afternoon the Capron and Hanes batteries on the right succeeded in tearing up the emplacements for a "palm" battery, as it is called, and in plumping shells into several blockhouses or salients, but the shots directed at the Spaniards in the trenches did not appear to have much effect. Shrapnel was rapidly broken directly over the trenches, yet in five minutes the trenches at every point of explosion would be alive with the enemy. They would watch for the flash of our guns and drop before the shells exploded.

Tore Up a Spanish Bull Ring.

Our mortar fire was directed at the Spanish bull ring, and tore up almost everything in the vicinity. It was understood the bull ring was being used as a barracks. Three large steamers lie in the harbor alongside the Philadelphia Iron company's wharf, and a small Spanish gunboat is anchored at the head of the bay. All these could be plainly seen by the Associated Press correspondent. The First Illinois volunteers and the District of Columbia volunteers are now located in the trenches that were occupied last week by General Chaffee's brigade.

TORAL AFRAID TO SURRENDER.

Washington People Think He Fears His Superiors' Displeasure.

Washington, July 13.—The impression prevailed in official circles when public business closed for yesterday that the flag of truce set in the Spanish lines at Santiago at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon was still flying, and that negotiations continued looking to a surrender. The basis for these negotiations naturally could not be very broad, in view of the injunction the president laid upon General Shafter to accept nothing less than unconditional surrender, but it is supposed that time may be consumed through the indulgence of General Shafter in allowing the Spanish commander to communicate by cable with Captain General Blanco in the effort to obtain his assent to the surrender. General Toral undoubtedly has before his eyes the vindictive abuse heaped upon the unfortunate naval commander Cervera for surrendering at all, so that he probably will be bound by the direction of Blanco in his own case.

It is not generally known that in response to the manly and pathetic report by cable to Blanco announcing the loss of his squadron Cervera received a most harsh and unsympathetic reply, but such is the case. Blanco's purpose in this may have been to dissuade other Spanish commanders, military and naval, from surrendering under any conditions; and in the case of Toral it appears that he has made a strong impression. Nevertheless confidence waxes in the speedy fall of Santiago, though many officers fear that the nest will be found empty and the birds flown when the American troops make their entry into the town.

General Miles' report yesterday indicated that he found physical difficulties to contend with, and he is apparently greatly pleased with the progress made by the army under the conditions prevailing. He has not assumed command, as is evidenced by his message. The most important result of the cabinet deliberations yesterday was the order to remove the mines which guard all the coast ports. Many military men were opposed to yielding to the pressure of the commercial interests, and some of them are predicting that not a few of the communities which have been so earnest in their demand for the removal of the mines will be frantically clamoring for protection at the very first rumor of the presence of a hostile gunboat or cruiser off their coast.

Although the statement has been repeated day after day that no overtures have yet been made to our government for peace, it may bear repetition once more in view of the express denial given at the state department to so many of the stories emanating from European sources as seek to create the impression that the United States government or any of its representatives so far has made any move in this direction. The fact is today as it has been: the first overtures in the direction of peace must come from Spain, directly or indirectly.

NOTES FROM CHICKAMAUGA.

W. C. T. U. Women Exercised Over the Canteen Question.

Chickamauga Park, Ga., July 13.—At Camp Thomas yesterday the day passed without any stirring events. The departure of the recruits of the First brigade, First division, First corps, to join their respective regiments at Charleston, constituted the only move except that of the ambulance company for the First brigade.

General Brooke has received countless letters from ladies of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in all parts of the country urging the closing of canteens, the letters showing that most exaggerated statements are afloat in regard to the conditions of regimental stores. The general finding it impossible to reply to these letters, and deeming it of general importance and due to the friends of the soldiers here, has made the following statement to the Associated Press: No intoxicants are sold in the canteens. Beer is only on sale in limited quantities, no one being able to obtain an excess. No soldier is required to serve as salesman or in any other capacity in these stores.

The articles sold are mainly cigars, tobacco and light forms of food. The store is a regimental affair, managed by the regiment, and all profits go to the use of the company. These canteens are by army regulations a part of the army, and General Brooke has no authority to close them. He has, however, ordered close supervision of all of them. Careful observation of the camp since its establishment has shown that there has been no drunkenness originating with the canteens and very little from any quarter except as the moonshiners have made secret sales of whisky.

The 1,000 recruits for the Second and Third Wisconsin and the Sixteen Pennsylvania, on their way to Santiago, left yesterday for Charleston.

ARGUMENT FOR COALING STATIONS.

Danish Government Refuses to Let Us Use Our Own Coal.

Washington, July 13.—Before the war began our government accumulated a stock of coal at St. Thomas, West Indies. Most of it was ashore, but 1,000 tons were on a schooner lying in the harbor. Twice since the war broke out the United States has availed itself of this coal—once to supply the Minneapolis and once the Montgomery—but as each was bound for the nearest home port, and took only enough coal to carry them there, it was fairly assumed that there had been no breach of neutrality. However, it appears that there is now a disposition exhibited by the Danish authorities to prevent the United States ships from using this coal, and as there is no question of their right to lay down such a rule the coal itself probably will be let alone.

Fortunately there is no particular need for it, as there are other means of coaling a fleet now in use. The incident is one which will be used as a strong argument for the establishment of coaling stations in various parts of the globe for the benefit of the United navy.

Wisconsin's Quota Progressing.

Camp Douglas, Wis., July 13.—At 4:30 o'clock Monday afternoon nine companies, having been brought up to the minimum quota, were mustered in in a body. The non-commissioned officers and privates of the other three companies were mustered in earlier in the afternoon. As they were below the minimum their commissioned officers could not be mustered. So far, not including the light battery, thirty-five officers and 1,134 men have been mustered in.

Michigan's Adjutant General.

Lansing, Mich., July 13.—Governor Pingree has appointed Inspector General Fred N. Case adjutant general of Michigan, to succeed General E. M. Irish, who becomes colonel of the Thirty-fifth Michigan infantry. Colonel A. F. Walsh, of Allegan, was appointed inspector general. It is understood that Quartermaster General White, who is lieutenant colonel of the Thirty-fifth, will not be succeeded.

Ninth Illinois Is Mustered.

Springfield, Ills., July 13.—The entire Ninth infantry volunteers, at Camp Tanner, has been mustered into the military service of the United States except the field and staff officers, who will be mustered in today or tomorrow. Companies A, B, C, and D are all from Chicago. The Eighth infantry, colored, was examined, only two or three to the company failing to pass.

Spanish Cabinet Seems on Deck Yet.

Mardid, July 13.—After the cabinet council yesterday the ministers asserted that Santiago de Cuba had again refused the American demand for surrender. Duke Almodovar de Rio, minister of foreign affairs, said there was nothing to justify reports regarding a conclusion of peace.

Esterhazy and His Mistress Arrested.

Paris, July 13.—Major Comte Ferdinand Walsin Esterhazy, the alleged author of the Bordereau in the Dreyfus case, has been arrested. Mme. Pays, his mistress, has also been placed under arrest.

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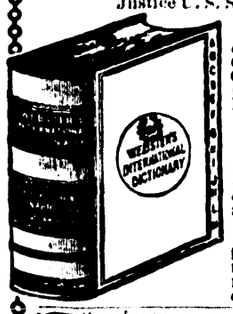

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HICKORY CREEK DRAIN

Supreme Court Reverses the Decision of the Circuit Court in the Long Litigation.

THE ORIGINAL DRAIN LEGAL.

Hundreds of Dollars Wasted in Fighting the Construction of a Drain That Will be Built.

The long litigation over the construction of the Hickory Creek drain has come to an end and the drain commenced many months ago will be completed. The supreme court has just reversed the decision of the circuit court.

John E. Burbank, formerly county drain commissioner, laid out a drain in Weesaw and Lake townships and advertised for bids. The contract for building the drain, known as the Hickory Creek drain, was awarded John M. Allmendinger of this city.

M. B. Houser and other prominent citizens of Baroda and Lake townships opposed bitterly the construction of the drain on the ground that it was unnecessary, and they secured an injunction stopping Mr. Allmendinger from proceeding with the contract after a mile had been constructed.

The matter was fought through all the courts. About a year ago Judge Van Riper of the probate court selected a jury composed of prominent men throughout the county to take testimony in regard to the drain and ascertain if it was a necessity. The jury, of which M. W. Jennings of this city was a member, decided that it was.

The fight was carried to the circuit court on certiorari proceedings and upon listening to the arguments Judge Coolidge held that the drain proceedings were illegal.

An appeal was taken to the supreme court. In the meantime, after the appeal had been taken and before it appeared on the supreme court calendar, J. P. Beistle was elected county drain commissioner to succeed Mr. Burbank. The new drain commissioner consented to help undo the work of his predecessor and used his influence to have the appeal set aside. As the appeal was taken in the name of Burbank as county drain commissioner it looked as though the appeal might be set aside by Beistle's action. The attorneys for Burbank however secured a hearing and the supreme court decided to hear the case on its merits.

The case was argued at the January term of the supreme court by Gore and Harvey and O'Hara and O'Hara for Burbank and by Col. Bacon and G. W. Bridgman for the opposition to the drain. The decision handed down yesterday legalized the drain and reverses the opinion rendered by Judge Coolidge.

Mr. Allmendinger will now get pay for the mile of drain he built and if there is anything like justice in law he will be entitled to damages from someone.

GOLD CURE.

Coldwater Doctor Prescribes It for F. M. Van Horn.

The Benton Harbor Keeley institute has been sending out circulars to the physicians in the state calling their attention to the institute and asking the co-operation of the physicians in the work.

One of these circulars fell into the hands of Dr. J. P. Alger of Coldwater and he turned the letter over and wrote on the back of it a message and forwarded it to the Phoenix accident and sick benefit association of this city. The message was this:

"In compliance with your request I would respectfully advise you to personally call upon F. M. Van Horn of your city. In an interview with him when he was here I diagnosed his case as a proper subject for the Keeley cure. His silver lunacy and antipathy to the gold basis may deprive you of his presence."

Evidently Dr. Alger ran up against Van's invincible silver arguments.

Michigan Pensions.

Michigan pensions were granted Monday as follows: Original—Alexander Wissinger, Clarksville, $6; Henry Brown, Gladwin, $6; Dewitt C. Butterfield, Dewitt, $6; John A. Calhoun, Boyne, $6; John Ward, Kalamazoo, $6. Increase—Abraham Vanderhayden, Three Rivers, $24 to $72. Widows—Catherine Lee, Three Oaks, $8; Maria Somerlat, Hageman, $12.

A BIG ORDER.

Buchanan Factory Has a Big Army Product.

Buchanan, July 13.—The zinc collar pad factory of this place has received an order for 10,000 pads for the government to be made immediately. This is the only place where these pads are made.

The pads are to be half of leather and half of zinc, the zinc pads to be delivered in 24 hours and the others in five days. The order will be filled in the allotted time.

WATERWORKS FOR PAW PAW.

The Village Votes to Put in a System But Decides Against Sewer.

Paw Paw, July 13.—Special election held Monday for voting bonds for water works and sewerage. Water works carried 217 yes, 31 no; sewerage lost 148 yes, 78 no. An $18,000 waterworks plant will be put in.

SUNDAY CONCERT.

It Will Be Given at the Excelsior Mineral Bath House Next Sunday.

There are hundreds of people in the twin cities and surrounding country that as yet do not realize what an institution the new Excelsior bath house, on East Main street is, and the managers have made arrangements to entertain visitors, show them through the house and explain the baths next Sunday afternoon from 2 until 5 o'clock.

During the reception the Evening News Newsboys' band will render a delightful concert opening the program with "Nearer My God to Thee" and closing with "America."

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to come and look over the house and at the same time enjoy the music.

BOARD OF TRADE ELECTION.

J. J. Miller Continued as President of Board of Trade.

The Benton Harbor board of trade held its election last evening and all the old officers were re-elected as follows: President, J. J. Miller; vice presidents, J. E. Barnes and J. R. Price; secretary, Charles Foster; treasurer, Charles J. Brown. The following were elected as the board of directors: S. A. Bailey, O. E. Fifield, F. H. Ellsworth, S. G. Antisdale, S. H. Kelley, J. S. Morton, John Robinson.

Messrs. Antisdale and Loomis became members of the board. Mr. Loomis and Mr. Fifield were added to the committee to solicit more board of trade notes. Mr. Miller and Mr. Shriver were appointed a committee to collect the notes and were also engaged to go out in the country and make beet contracts with the farmers.

The board of trade has accomplished much and promises to outdo all former efforts the coming year.

ABOUT THE VICINITY.

West Sodus.

West Sodus, July 13.—H. H. Woods returned to Hartford Monday. Mrs. Woods is still at her mother's, Mrs. King.

Many of the berry pickers are going home. Berries are selling so low that the farmers can't afford to pay the usual prices for picking and the pickers think they can't afford to pick for less than the old prices.

Mrs. Hattie Harmon Spar, of Chicago, is visiting her mother, who is in very poor health.

Mrs. Ira L. King is at Bethel visiting and picking berries.

Dowagiac Council Roasted.

Dowagiac, July 13.—Three churches held a mass meeting and roasted the city council, mayor, marshal and people generally, owing to the way things were run here semi-centennial day, July 2. On the Fourth a minister and and a committee of the law and order league visited the back doors of the saloons and found two open. Complaints have been made.

Married 40 Years.

Berrien Springs, July 12.—D. G. W. Gaugler and wife celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary at their pleasant home here last night. They gave a reception which was attended by their relatives and numerous friends and were the recipients of many handsome and useful presents. Mr. Gaugler is one of the prominent business men of the village.

New Wheat Marketed.

Lansing, July 13.—The first new wheat was marketed Monday. It brought 75 cents a bushel.

A BEAUTIFUL SPOT.

The Village of Berrien Springs Will Have One of the Finest Parks in the Country.

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In the beautiful St. Joseph river, just below the Hotel Oronoko at Berrien Springs is a wooded island comprising three acres of ground. This place has been known for years as Kephart's island, deriving its name from its owner, Henry Kephart.

A few days ago Mr Kephart sold the island to the M., B. H. & C. railroad company whose purpose is to make a beautiful park with all modern improvements where excursionists over their road may go and enjoy themselves.

The island is connected with the village by means of a long rustic bridge and in every convenient spot there are numerous rustic seats and benches.

The railroad company had a force of men on the island yesterday surveying the ground preparatory to building a pavilion and dancing hall 20x80 feet and a neat and commodious bath house.

In the St. Joseph river just in the center of the island a dam will be built which will make an ideal spot for swimming.

The people of Berrien Springs will have something that the city of Benton Harbor needs but cannot afford, in their parks.

TWO AGAINST ONE.

Patton and Pack, the Burrows Men Claim, are Pooling.

Lansing, July 13.—The Burrows men assert that Pack and Patton have a thorough understanding and will make a common fight against Burrows. In the districts where Patton stands the best show of nominating his candidate Pack will not interfere except to help land Patton's man, and vice versa. Either will be satisfied to have Burrows downed, each having a case against him.

Once More, the Unmailed Letter.

Here is a new story about the man who forgot to mail his wife's letter, says the New Orleans Times-Democrat. The hero is a newspaper man and is connected with one of the New Orleans dailies: Something over two years ago, on a cold winter's day, his wife gave him a letter to mail, and he slipped it into his overcoat pocket. It was addressed to a friend in Los Angeles. Two weeks ago, during a chilly snap, he put on the overcoat, and in the lining felt the long-lost missive. Conscience stricken, and without noticing the date or remembering when the letter had been given him, he rushed off and posted it. It was when the reply came from the friend in Los Angeles that the secret was out. The friend thought that the writer must have gone crazy. "I was glad to get your letter," the friend replied, "but what on earth is the matter with you? You wrote of things that happened two years ago, and about nothing else." It took some time to get matters straightened out.

Maccabee Picnic.

The L. O. T. M. will hold their annual picnic at Somerleyton on Thursday, leaving Benton Harbor at 9 a. m. Dinner will be served in Clarence Warner's dining hall. Round trip including dinner will be 50 cents.

Lawn Social.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church will hold a lawn social at the home of M. E. Leighton on Buss street, Friday, July 22. Everybody come.

An Aztec Eight Feet Tall.

Prof. Moorhead, the archeologist, who has been exploring an Aztec ruin three miles west of Phoenix, Ariz., has discovered portions of the skeleton of the human being whose stature he computes to have been about eight feet. He has also some well-preserved pottery and other utensils used by the early dwellers in the valley which he found in the ruins. The professor is working in the interest of an eastern museum.

A New Envelope.

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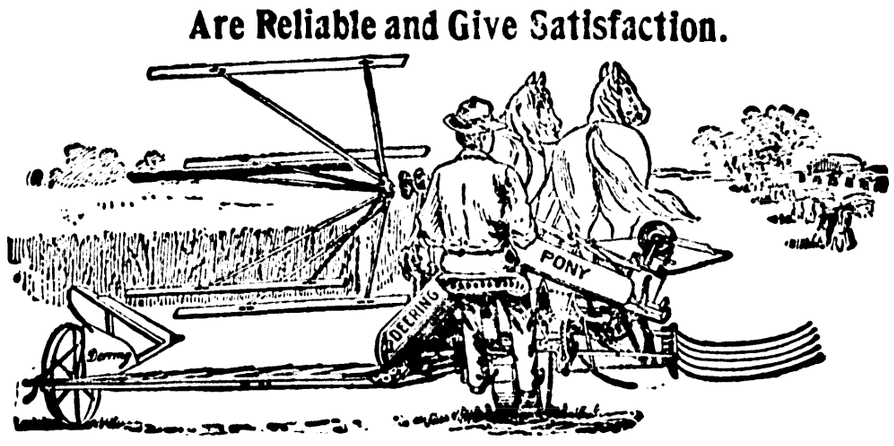

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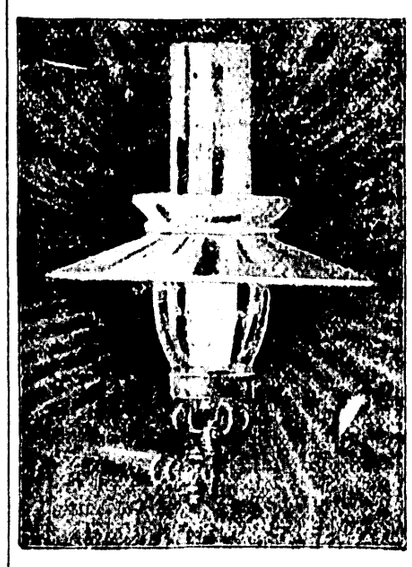

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SUGAR FACTORY A GODSEND.

In no part of the United States could a sugar beet factory prove such a godsend to the farmers as it will right here. The reasons for this statement are almost self-evident.

The farms here are very small. No farmer counts his land by the section or half section as they do in the states west of Michigan but in the fruit belt a farm of 20 acres is all that many good business farmers want. These few acres he wants to yield the fullest possible return.

The beet crop will accomplish this. It would scarcely pay the Illinois or Iowa farmer who raises corn and cattle on a section of land to cultivate a few acres of beets. He would not have time to look after the crop and as long as hogs and cattle sell for as good a price as now he cares for nothing better.

Here it is different. If half the land now used for berries is devoted to sugar beets a new morn of prosperity would dawn. Sugar beets are more profitable than strawberries at $1 per case. Besides, if there was only half the present berry acreage the price for the latter would be greatly increased.

The farmer who fails to make a beet contract will always regret it.

HERO WORSHIP.

All the world loves a hero but few sensible people enjoy hero worship and see any good judgment displayed in the lugging away of old shingles and chunks of broken plaster from houses where some distinguished man was born, lived or died.

An instance of this sort is now exciting the people of Galesburg, a village near Kalamazoo. Gen. Shafter once lived in that village and the house where he lived is the Mecca for relic seekers, who sketch the place, steal or buy old shingles and slivers from the timbers. The owner of the old Shafter house has made a commercial commodity of the building and is selling shingles at $1 each and the logs, joists and boards will be manufactured into canes and sold at a fabulous price.

It is quite likely that the persons paying $1 for decayed shingles use their leisure time in cursing the government because the war stamp became necessary.

IT isn't the worst thing in the world to be a prisoner of war. Admiral Cervera, who reached Portsmouth, N. H., on the St. Louis Sunday, will be allowed to wander around the United States at his own sweet will. If he wishes, he can live on the fat of the land at the Waldorf-Astoria or any other first-class hotel. All that will be required of him will be to keep his pledge not to leave this country till the war is over. The American people have no unkindly feeling for the admiral and hope that he will enjoy himself during his enforced sojourn on our soil. Let it be remembered to his credit that when Hobson and his men were captured after sinking the Merrimac, his first impulse was to exchange them.

NILES is a free trade democratic city. She gave the banner free whiskey vote at the recent election. She is the first city in the county—and probably the last—to adopt free school books. It is not known why Niles has not made a better record in the way of free silver.

THE price of hard coal is likely to be lower than in several years. The trust has been crowding up prices until soft coal has largely driven the demand for anthracite out of the market.

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Lessons Fig. 1. 1818.

In 1818 the royal mews at Charing Cross were standing and on the actual site now occupied by Nelson's column a long wooden shed was placed, and in it was the skeleton of a whale of great dimensions. Through it the writer walked from end to end.

Opposite stood, as now they stand, spring gardens, where in old times the beaus and belles of the court of Charles II disported themselves. There in a house was located "the learned pig."

Bystanders desirous of seeing its performance stood in a circle, and within a smaller one playing cards were apparently indiscriminately thrown down. Onlookers, possibly confederates, named a particular card, and the pig trotted round and placed his snout on the named card without an error.

From that exhibition, the writer, in the same house (he thinks), was taken and introduced to "the Hottentot Venus," an ebony damsel clad in gauzy garments of the most flimsy kind, who displayed her figure by proudly traversing and circling round the room in which she gave her receptions.

Issuing thence, the writer was taken to the horse guards parade to see the cannon used by the French as a mortar during the siege of Cadiz, 1812. It was on a carriage in a horizontal position, and the writer, lifted by his father, was thrust inside the muzzle, and, struggling somewhat, was, with a little difficulty, extracted from his confined position.—London Sketch.

The Girls Blushed Too.

Visitors at the World's fair of 1893 will recall the Indian exhibit or encampment on the shore of the south pond. One of the tents or wigwams was occupied by an athletic and fine looking but somewhat taciturn specimen of young Indian manhood as his own particular home, and while it was open at all proper hours for the inspection of visitors he resented any approach to impertinent curiosity.

A bevy of young women dropped into his tent one day before his usual hour for opening it and found him sewing a rent in a blanket.

"See how he blushes," exclaimed one of the visitors. "We have caught him doing squaw's work."

"Why, that's his natural color," giggled another. "He always blushes."

"Yes, young ladies," said the Indian in perfectly good English, "he blushes for some of the civilized and enlightened white Americans of the nineteenth century."

The visitors joined him in blushing and shortly afterward went out without further remarks.—Youth's Companion.

Is "By Jingo!" Basque?

Prince L. L. Bonaparte, many years ago, claimed "By jingo" as an English borrowing from the Basques. The Soulelin Basques say "Bai Jinko," meaning "Yes, God," not "By God" or "Par Dieu." The k would easily become g in the mouth of a foreigner. Basque sailors and soldiers have always been ubiquitous. Some time ago I was at an inn at Larraina (the thrashing floor) in Soule, where the host, who had gained the queen's medal for service in the French army in the Crimean war, repeated "Bai Jinko" hundreds of times during the day. No doubt the Basques in the time of Rabelais, the first author to put Basque words in print (though he did so rather clumsily) had the same habit. It must always have attracted the attention of foreigners, who would readily imitate it.—Notes and Queries.

PIANO SALE.

I have secured a stock of PIANOS and ORGANS from a firm in New York to CLOSE OUT and will offer the same during the next 30 DAYS at less than the manufacturers prices. The stock includes:

Steinway	Newby & Evans
Hallet & Davis	Camp & Co.
Ludwig & Co.	Arion
Emerson	Nilson
Reed & Sons	Martin & Son
Mathushek	Joscelyn

I also carry

Pianos { A. B. Chase. Weber. Estey. James & Holmstrom.
Organs { Estey. Story & Clark.

General distributing point for the CELEBRATED ESTEY ORGANS.
Will sell on time or monthy installments if desired. Write at once for description and prices.
OTIS BIGELOW, Dowagiac, Mich.
849t6

Wanted at once—10 pickers to thin peaches. John H. Lee. 856t6

Bids for Removing Garbage.

Bids for the removal of garbage and rubbish from the streets and alleys of the city will be received by the city clerk until Monday, July 18. Bidders must state the price per month at which they will do this work, and the city council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
857t6 R. P. CHADDOCK, City Clerk.

$125 bicycle for $15 at Wallace Bros.

MONEY TO LOAN

At 6 and 7 per cent according to security, amount and time. Abstracts of title furnished. We have a complete tax abstract of Berrien county and will furnish tax statements for 50 cents per lot. DIX & WILKINSON, Court House, St. Joseph, Mich.

Bob Moore, of LaFayette, Ind., says that for constipation he has found DeWitt's Little Early Risers to be perfect. They never gripe. Try them for stomach and liver troubles. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

"I think DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the finest preparation on the market for piles." So writes John C. Dunn, of Wheeling, W. Va. Try it and you will think the same. It also cures eczema and all skin diseases. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Finest line of $35 bicycles in Berrien county at Wallace Bros. 838tf

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THE BEST WASHING POWDER

JAMES STRAIN..
PLUMBING.... STEAM and GAS FITTING
140½ Pipestone St.

Our estimates will save you money..
Work guaranteed..

..Tells Its Own Story..
Our Business Methods Please the People.

18 ft. 32 ft. 30 ft. 30 ft.
Our Store when we started business...
Our Store now...

MICHAEL & BEENY, GROCERS
COR. PIPESTONE AND BRITAIN...

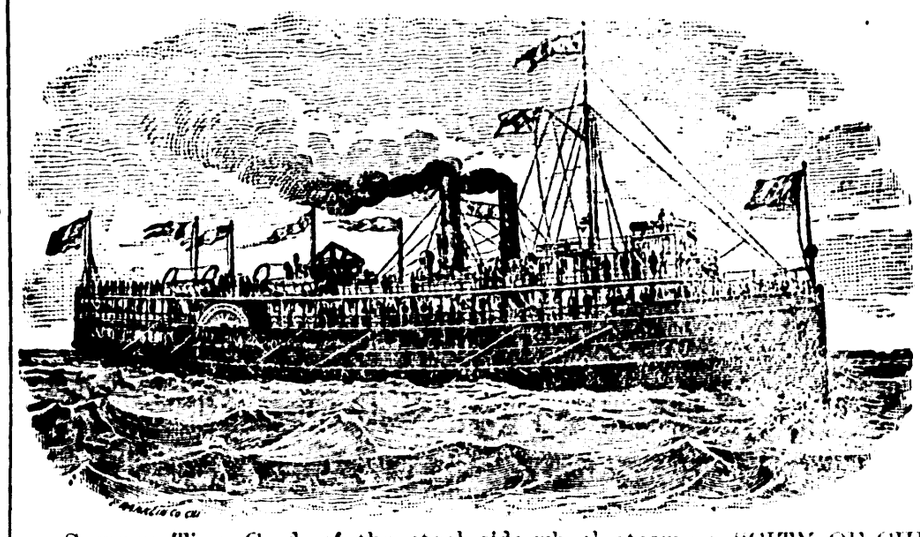
REMNANT SALE

Remnants of everything at prices that if you can find anything you want you will buy : : : : :

Also 10 doz. children's silk lace mitts at.....5c pair
8 doz. ladies' black silk mitts at.....10c pair
The best low price summer corset on the market, double bone and 4-side steel.....24c
Chenille table spreads at.....39c
Special drive in remnants of embroideries and ornamental laces at.....10c per yd.
Some of these goods are worth twice the money.
White lawn ties.....25c per doz. or 2 for 5c
A good grain sack for.....12½c

- - VAN HORN'S DRY GOODS STORE - -

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANSPORTATION CO.



Summer Time Card of the steel side-wheel steamers "CITY OF CHICAGO" and "CITY OF MILWAUKEE" and the "CITY OF LOUISVILLE," running between Benton Harbor, St. Joseph and Chicago.

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago	—	Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Arrive Benton Harbor
9:00 p. m. daily inc. Sunday 6:45 a. m daily Sunday ex.	5:00 p. m. daily Sunday ex. 10:30 p m daily Inc. Sunday 7:30 a. m daily Sunday ex. 6:00 p. m. Sunday only	9:00 p. m. daily Sunday ex. 4:00 a. m. daily 11:30 a m daily Sunday ex. 10:00 p m Sunday only	—	9:30 a. m. daily 12:30 noon d'ly Sat & Sun ex 11:30 p m daily Inc Sunday 10:00 a m Sunday only 2:00 p m Saturday only	1:30 p. m. daily 4:30 p. m daily Sat & Sun ex 4:00 a. m. daily 2:00 p. m. Sunday only 6:00 p. m. Saturday only	5:30 a. m. daily 7:00 p m Saturday only

The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.

Propeller "J. C. FORD" tri-weekly to Milwaukee, leaving Benton Harbor at 7:30 p. m., St. Joseph at 9 p. m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Leave Milwaukee at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

DOCKS—
CHICAGO—Foot of Wabash Ave.
MILWAUKEE—South Water St.
ST. JOSEPH—E. A. Graham.
BENTON HARBOR—N. Water St.

J. H. GRAHAM, President.

THE ELIXIR OF YOUTH

STRANDED WRECKS. He died of no disease known to medical science; he simple faded away—WEAKER, MORE NERVELESS, AND HOPELESS, day by day. Who is to blame? The UNHAPPY VICTIM drags out a miserable life, or SINKS INTO AN UNTIMELY GRAVE, for the want of TREATMENT. He has been humbugged by Fraud Remedies and SO-CALLED FREE CURES. We Challenge the WORLD. So write us to-day with Stamp for our Testimonials and FREE BOOK. Also statements from our Leading Druggists on the merit of this Great Remedy. THE ELIXIR OF YOUTH cures all NERVOUS DISEASES, such as WEAK MEMORY, Loss of Brain Power, Lost Vitality, NIGHTLY EMISSIONS, Evil Dreams, Headache, Pains in the Limbs and Back, and INSANITY caused by youthful errors, or excesses, overindulgence or abuse of any kind of either sex. Ask for Elixir of Youth; take no other. Do not let the druggist substitute some remedy of his own make, under a foreign name. $1 per bottle, six bottles for $5. Sold under a guarantee to cure, or money refunded. Prepared only by

THE GERMAN HOSPITAL REMEDY CO. GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., U. S. A.

Per Sale by J. A. SHEFFIELD & SON, 115 Pipestone St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

TENT OF MAC, NO. 2, HARBOR COURT No. 2, meets second and fourth Monday nights. EARL HEMINGWAY, Chief. MABEL GEER, Scribe.

BENTON DIVISION, COURT NO. 1, ORDER of Patricians, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmen hall. All visiting Patricians cordially invited.
EDGAR P. WHALEN, Justice.
B. J. MORRISON, clerk.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Tent, No. 104, meet at Odd Fellows' hall regular review every Friday evening.
W. SHANKLAND, Com.
R. P. CHADDOCK, F. K. L. N. MURRAY, R. K.

BENTON LODGE NO. 132, I. O. O. F., MEETS every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.
ORA G. BERKEY, N. G.
B. O. JOHNSON, Sec'y.

Marquette Lodge, D. of R., meets every alternate Saturday evening. Mrs. Lizzie Hepler, N. G; B. O. Johnson, Sec'y.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER Camp No. 40 meet the second and fourth Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall on West Main street. Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received.
JOHN F. GERLING, Consul Commander.
A. D. LACY, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA, IVY Leaf Camp No 901 meets every Monday evening at the Woodmen Hall on West Main street. Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained. GEO. F. CUNNINGHAM, V. C.
N. G. WENELL Clerk.

BENTON HOME FORUM, 389, MEETS THE second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at Modern Woodmen hall. Visiting companions always welcome.
N. G. WENNELL, president.
MRS. CANNIE SILVER, secretary.

CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RAILWAY

In effect June 19, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p m.
Grand Rapids	2:15	7:30	3:40	6:25.
Benton Harbor	4:32	10:53	6:05	9:40.
St. Joseph	4:42	11:03	6:14	9:50.
Chicago	7:30	2:10	9:05	.....

GOING NORTH.

Stations.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.
Chicago	7:20	4:15	8:45	.....
St. Joseph	10:20	7:15	11:35	5:45.
Benton Harbor	10:30	7:25	11:42	5:50.
Grand Rapids	1:25	10:30	2:00	9:10.
	p m.	p m.	a.m.	a.m.

DETROIT, GD. RAPIDS & WESTERN R. R.

Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:25 p. m. and 5:35 p. m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a. m. and 4:20 p. m.
Parlor cars on all trains; seats 25 cents.

GEO. DEHAVEN, Gen. Pass. Agt., Grand Rapids.
JAS. MAHONEY, Agt., Benton Harbor.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. C. & ST. L. RAILWAY.
MICHIGAN DIVISION.

No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:06 p. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:00 p. m. Elkhart accommodation. Arrive at Benton Harbor: No. 23, 8:50 a. m. No. 25, 2:10 p. m. No. 94, 8:40.

VANDALIA LINE

TIME TABLE.
Taking effect June 19, 1898.

SOUTH BOUND

Stations	No. 3	No. 7	No. 15	No 17
St. Joseph	10:25 a m	4:00 p m	5:20 p m	6:00 p m
South Bend	11:45	5:13	6:48	7:20
Plymouth	12:30 p m	5:57	7:33	8:10
Logansport	2:15	7:15	9:00	9:45
Indi'napolis	5:45			
Terre H'te.	6:40	11:00		

NORTH BOUND

	No. 16	No. 14	No. 20	No. 6
Terre H'te.			1:00 p m	6:17 a m
Indi'napolis			11:45 a m	7:10
Logansport	7:00 a m	6:05 a m	4:35 p m	10:40
Plymouth	8:24	7:34	5:57	12:08 p m
South Bend	9:10	3:20	6:39	12:53
St. Joseph	10:30	9:35	7:45	2:15

Trains No. 16 and No. 17 run on Sunday only, and all other trains are daily except Sunday.
For complete Time Card, giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates, through cars, etc., address
FRANK R. HALE, Agent, St. Joseph, Mich.
E. A. FORD, Gen Pass. Agt., St. Louis, Mo.

Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railway Co.

TIME TABLE.
Effective Thursday, July 7, 1898.

GOING SOUTH.

Stations	No 1 Dly ex Sun am	No 3 Dly ex Sun pm	No 5 Dly pm	No 9 Sun O'ly am	No 11 Sun O'ly am	13 Sun O'ly pm
Benton Harbor.	7 00	4 00	8 00	8 00	11 00	5 00
*Napier.....						
*Somerleyton...	7 09	4 09	8 15	8 09	11 09	5 09
*Scotdale.....	7 11	4 12	8 20	8 11	11 11	5 11
*Royalton.....	7 14	4 16	8 25	8 14	11 14	5 14
*Hinchman.....	7 21	4 25	8 35	8 21	11 21	5 21
*Stemms.....	7 24	4 29	8 40	8 24	11 24	5 24
Berrien Springs	7 33	4 42	8 50	8 33	11 33	5 33
*Oakland.....	7 42	4 50	9 00	8 42	11 42	5 42
*Bainton's.....						
Buchanan.....	8 00	5 10	9 25	9 00	12 00	6,00

GOING NORTH.

Stations	No 2 Dly ex Sun am	No 4 Dly ex Sat pm	No 6 Sat O'ly pm	10 Sun O'ly am	12 Sun O'ly pm	14 Sun O'ly pm
Buchanan.....	10 00	5 35	5 35	9 30	6 30	4 00
*Bainton's.....						
*Oakland.....	10 20	5 53	5 53	9 48	6 48	4 18
Berrien Spring.	10 30	6 08	6 02	9 57	6 57	4 27
*Stemms.....	10 41	6 28	6 11	10 06	7 06	4 36
*Hinchman.....	10 45	6 33	6 14	10 09	7 09	4 39
*Royalton.....	10 54	6 43	6 21	10 16	7 16	4 46
*Scotdale.....	10 58	6 52	6 24	10 19	7 19	4 49
*Somerleyton..	11 01	6 56	6 26	10 21	7 21	4 51
*Napier.....						
Benton Harbor.	11 10	7 05	6 35	10 30	7 30	5 00

Flag stations.

Benton Harbor Depot—E. Territorial Street.

F. E. DICKINSON, Gen. Frt. & Pass. Agt.

Paw Paw Lake Train Service

In effect June 26, 1898.

Leave Benton Harbor week days—5:50 a m, 10:30 a m, 2:20 p m and 5:05 p m, except Saturday. Leave Paw Paw Lake—10:15 a m, 1:15 p m, 4:00 p m and 9:05 p m.

Leave Benton Harbor Sundays—5:50 a m, 9:10 a m, 2:25 p m and 6:05 p m. Leave Paw Paw Lake—8:00 a m, 1:15 p m, 5:00 p m and 9:05 p m.

Dr. Freemyer,
Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon.

Specialist of years of experience in the treatment of diseases of the human system in all their various forms. Hemorrhoids, tumors and Fistulas removed without pain. All diseases of the Pelvic and Rectal organs treated and cured no matter how long standing. Don't give up because you have been told there is no help for you but consult the doctor. Office and residence, 112 Elm street. Hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4. All calls will receive prompt attention. Correspondence solicited with return stamp for reply.

MRS. DR. H. A. FREEMYER.

Practice limited to diseases of Women and children. Office, 112 Elm street. Office hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4.
We make the study and practice of medicine and surgery a business exclusively.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Henry Wims & Son have added light draying to their other line of business. Orders for draying may be left at Hall's drug store.

Carpets cleaned and laid, stoves cleaned and stored, and whatever you want done, Wims & Son will do it and do it right. 846tf

Eastman Springs Water.

Eastman Springs water delivered at 5 cents per gallon. Leave orders at Adams Express office, in A. S. Miles' shoe store, 129 Pipestone street, phone 16. 799tf R. E. AYERS, Agent.

Hosbein & Barnes have a full supply of ice for the season.

Gasoline stoves cleaned and guaranteed. J. Strain, 140½ Pipestone St. tf832

Try Wallace Bros.' soda water.

Have your carpets cleaned by steam or the famous Jewel process. Office 110 Pipestone street, phone 260.

The best 5 cent cigar in town is the Admiral Dewey.

Full line of fire works at Wallace Bros.

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Thousands of persons have been cured of piles by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It heals promptly and cures eczema and all skin diseases. It gives immediate relief. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Farmers & Merchants

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Benton Harbor, Mich.

Capital, $50,000 Surplus, $50,000

JOHN ROBINSON, President. CHAS. FOSTER, Cashier.
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Do a General Banking Business

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Interest paid on Deposits.

GASOLINE STOVES repaired as they should be.

LAWN MOWERS made to cut as good as new.

KEYS made to fit any lock.

FURNITURE repaired, Upholstered and Varnished.

We do all kinds of Repairing right.

We buy, sell or exchange everything in Stoves, Furniture and Household goods.

WANTED—Fruit Cans and Paper Covered Novels.

Yellow Front Bargain Store

161 PIPESTONE ST.

Hot Day and Company Coming.

Ice cream delivered in time for dinner or supper at $1 a gallon or 25 cents a quart, by Rouse Ice company, corner of Park, Water and Sixth streets. Twin City 'phone, 271.

All the cream that is delivered is packed in ice to keep for several hours.

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104 Water Street.

Best in the Twin Cities for 25 Cents.

..Tickets, 21 Meals for $3..

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MRS. LAURA ELDRED

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I use the latest and most improved methods and make special terms to beginners in classes.

STUDIO: GRAHAM BLOCK, Over Morrow & Stone's.

S. M. WHITE

..DENTIST..

Jones & Sonner Block, Benton Harbor.

Royal Baking Powder has been the best powder, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

SPENCER & Barnes are advertising for a wood turner.

YOUNG settlers' picnic will be held in Berrien Springs Wednesday, August 3.

THE excursion of the Maccabees to Somerleyton advertised for tomorrow has been postponed and the date will be announced later.

THE case of the People vs Miller and Freeman, which was called before an Eau Claire justice yesterday, was adjourned until next Monday.

MRS. E. Comstock, mother of Mrs. George B. Simons, is failing rapidly and her death is evidently near at hand. Mr. Simons left for Albion this afternoon.

THE ladies of St. Johns' church and their friends to the number of 75 took the river steamer Tourist this morning for Somerleyton where they are spending the day.

MISS Cheek, the heroine of the late fire who was seriously hurt by some object hitting the back of her head, has been delirious at times but is reported as slowly recovering.

IRVING Clauser, an employe of the Colby-Hinkley company, had the fingers of his right hand cut in a severe manner on a rip saw this morning. Dr. John Bell dressed the wounds

SOME fiend with a sandbag made arrangements to tackle some citizen but was scared away. The sandbag was found in the lumber yard and is now an ornament in the office of Chief Hepler

J. W. FORSYTH, of this city, is the boss carpenter on the M., B. H. & C. and has a force of men at Buchanan repairing the depot. He has built neat little warehouses at all the stations along the line.

J. T. BECKWITH and C. H. Farnum, directors of the Berrien county mutual, last week adjusted the loss of William Adams of Covert township, Van Buren county, whose house recently burned, by allowing him $350.

AT the meeting of the board of trade last evening a vote of thanks was tendered President J. H. Graham for furnishing transportation to a party of Chicago manufacturers to visit Benton Harbor for the purpose of investigating a new site for their establishment.

THE A. M. E. Sunday school will run an excursion to Somerleyton tomorrow. The Tourist will leave its dock in this city at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning and returning will leave Somerleyton at 6. The fare for the round trip is 15 cents and tickets may be had at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

DEPUTY Collector Antisdale says that scarcely anyone realizes the enormous amount of business being done here by the Peters lumber company. One barge, the J. W. Naughten, has alone brought here over 3,000,000 feet of lumber this spring. Mr. Antisdale made out one manifest for the Naughten for 2,084,000 feet of lumber.

Dr. S. M White, dentist

Geo. D. Alger, Watchmaker.

Ralph Benton at Baker's hardware store cleans gasoline stoves. tf846

Sick headache, biliousness, constipation and all liver and stomach troubles can be quickly cured by using those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. They are pleasant to take and never gripe. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Gasoline stoves cleaned and guaranteed. J. Strain, 140½ Pipestone street

Have your carpets cleaned by steam or the famous Jewel process. Office 110 Pipestone street, phone 260.

Lister's Bone Meal.

This famous bone meal which has stood the test of years may be obtained by leaving orders with H. P. Boehm, Benton Harbor, or with the general agent.

tf681 C. H. FARNUM, Hagar.

The Chief Burgess of Milesburg, Pa., says DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills he ever used in his family during forty years of housekeeping. They cure constipation, sick headache and stomach and liver troubles. Small in size but great in results. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

Raspberries and Currants.

Black raspberries and currants delivered at your house at 10 cents per case. Address Bert Smith, box 435, Benton Harbor, Mich. 3t857

E. C. Blanks, of Lewisville, Texas, writes that one box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was worth $50.00 to him. It cured his piles of ten years standing. He advises others to try it. It also cures eczema, skin diseases and obstinate sores. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

The finest turnouts in the city and at the cheapest prices is at N. Gifford's, Elm street livery. Transfer to any part of the city, 25 cents. Twin City phone 22, Bell phone 35. tf839

T. F. Anthony, Ex-Postmaster, of Promise City, Iowa, says: "I bought one bottle of 'Mystic Cure' for Rheumatism, and two doses of it did me more good than any medicine I ever took." Sold by G. M. Bell & Co. Druggists, Benton Harbor, 103 Main street.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c, $1. All druggists.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The second installment of books are now in the library. They are for the most part works that have been ordered by the members and have among them some of the best up-to-date writings. Owing to the frequent changes it will not be practicable to issue a catalogue, but we shall be pleased to have you call at the rooms during library hours and see them.

We need a few more hit-and-miss carpet rags for the new carpet. Send your name if you have any and we will gladly call and get them.

Some are wondering why the glowing visions of athletic grounds and bicycle tracks pictured to the public a few moons ago have not materialized. We rise to explain. Our atheletic leader, Lambert Neimyer, is out of the city for the summer, while those most interested in the enterprise are exercising for Uncle Sam down in Cuba, so we concluded it wiser to give it up for this season. We furnished Company I with 16 of its best men.

We are glad to learn that the Y. M. C. A. army work for the boys of this state is to have a thorough canvass and be brought before the people. One of our old standbys, Charles Tompkins, has been assigned by State Secretary Copeland the counties of Allegan, Van Buren, Cass and Berrien and will visit the principal towns during his vacation. We trust we may have a hearty response by our own cities.

Lawn Social.

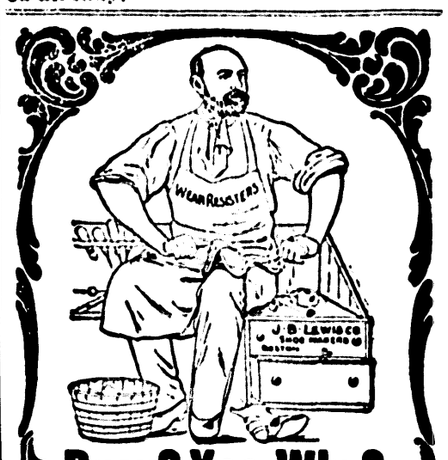
The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church will hold a lawn social at the home of M. E. Leighton on Buss street, Friday, July 22. Everybody come.

"Looking Indian."

"Why don't you look Indian for it?" a small boy asked recently, on finding his sisters vainly searching for a missing trinket which had been dropped in the hall, and before the young ladies could think what this might mean the youngster had spread himself full-length upon the floor, as near to the dead level as possible. The missing article was thus made plainly visible. By putting the head to the ground or floor the smallest object between one's self and the horizon or the wall appears, while it escapes our notice when standing erect.

Carrier Pigeons in Hawaii.

A carrier pigeon club has been formed on the Hawaiian islands for the rapid conveyance of letters. More than fifty stations have been established already.



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Because its hard work to supply the demand all over the country for

J. B. LEWIS CO'S

"Wear Resisters"

They sell well, look well, feel well, wear well. For men, women and children. Look for "Lewis" on every shoe. Made only by the J. B. LEWIS CO., Boston, Mass.

LEWIS "WEAR RESISTERS" are sold by

JOSEPH FRICK, 113 Territorial Street

.NOTICE.

The Excelsior Mineral Bath House

Will be open to give baths on Saturday, July 9, and thereafter

The Ladies' Department will be opened July 11.

Respectfully,

EXCELSIOR MINERAL WATER CO...

.DOMESTIC.

COMBINED

Evaporator, Baker and Refrigerator

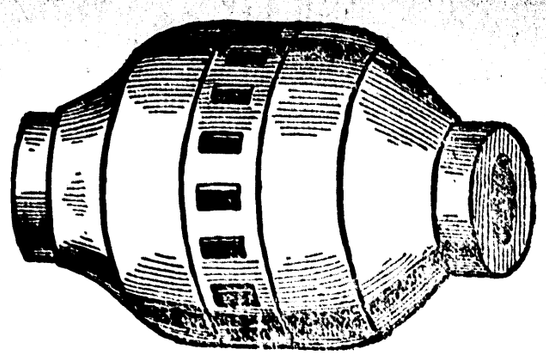
The greatest invention of the age and one which every fruit-grower should have.

Will save its cost in from 4 to 8 Weeks.

For particulars address

Domestic Evaporator Company,

BENTON HARBOR.

The  **Hub**

112 Pipestone Street

.Before Inventory Sale.

We invoice our Stock on July 5

We prefer to invoice cash instead of goods. In order to do so we will for the next two weeks offer the balance of our immense stock of fine clothing at prices lower than the lowest:

Men's good business suits - $2.50 worth $5.00
Men's good business suits - $3.00 worth $7.00
Men's good blue flannel suits, $3.50 worth $7.00
Men's good pants - - - 50c worth $1.00
Youths' and Boys' summer coats and vests - - - - - - - 50c worth $1.50
Boys' suits - - - - - 70c worth $1.50
Boys' pants - - - - - 20c and up.

We also have a fine line of Men's, Youth's and Boys' Clothing at 25 per cent less than any house in the city.

Our Hat and Furnishing Goods departments comprising all the latest styles and novelties at prices unheard of. Call and be convinced.

All goods warranted as represented or money refunded.

..THE HUB..

Clothiers, Hatters and Men's Furnishers,

Our Grand Red Letter Clearing Sale

Another year has rolled around, and we beg to announce our sale of all sales. Always after the 4th of July we clear everything out in Shirt Waists and Summer Goods at just

. . . 1-2 the Regular Price

Our Shirt Waists are divided into 3 lots:

Waists that sold for 69c, 75c, all go for 49c.
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Has No Trouble Nominating a Ticket for the Election the Coming Fall.

FIGHT OVER STATE COMMITTEEMEN

Two Gold Democrats, Cable and Sullivan, Cause the Feature of the Convention—Cable Declared to Have Repented of His Yellow Metal Views—Both Men Selected, at Which Perrin Grows Sarcastic—Points of the Platform.

Springfield, Ills., July 13.—The Democratic state convention yesterday nominated the following ticket: State treasurer, Willard F. Dunlap, Jacksonville; state superintendent of public instruction, Perry O. Stiver, Freeport; trustees of the University of Illinois—Jacob E. Seiler, of Mount Carmel; Napoleon B. Morrison, of Oden; Dr. Julia Holmes Smith, of Chicago. The convention was held in the exposition building at the state fair grounds. The convention opened at 12:30 and continued in uninterrupted session until 5:07 p. m. William Prentiss, of Chicago, was both temporary and permanent chairman, and A. C. Bentley, of Pittsfield, was secretary.

Fight Over Ben T. Cable.

The chief incident of the convention proceedings was a fight over the appointment on the state central committee of two men prominent as gold Democrats in 1896—Ben T. Cable, of Rock Island, and Roger C. Sullivan, of the Fifth congressional district. The fight over Cable was started in the meeting of the delegates from the Tenth congressional district, where the delegates from Whiteside county assailed Cable. C. K. Ladd, chairman of the meeting, gave the assurance that Cable had acknowledged his mistake and had notified Grover Cleveland that he would hereafter support the Chicago platform. Elmer Hurst, of Rock Island, said that Cable's selection would not be objectionable to ex-Governor Altgeld. Cable was chosen.

Carried Into the Convention.

The fight was carried into the convention, where Cable was denounced as a traitor by Fred Bastian, of Whiteside; George B. Parsons, of Gallatin county; W. H. Cleary, of Galena, and others. He was defended by M. J. Daugherty, of Galesburg; Peter McArthur, of Marseilles; Elmer Hurst, of Rock Island, and C. K. Ladd, of Kewanee. After a bitter fight the choice of both Cable and Sullivan as committeemen was ratified. This led Nick Perrin, of Belleville, to inquire sarcastically if it would be in order to move to strike out two other names and substitute those of John M. Palmer and W. S. Forman. [Great laughter.]

ALTGELD MAKES HIS SPEECH.

But Carter Harrison Grows Weary of Waiting—Platform Points.

Ex-Governor Altgeld addressed the convention at length. Mayor Carter H. Harrison, of Chicago, was present and had expected to talk, but was not given the opportunity until after 4 o'clock, when, tired of waiting, he had gone down town. Then a committee was appointed to invite him to speak, but he sent back word that he could not again go to the fair grounds.

The platform declares for the free and unlimited coinage of both silver and gold at the present established ratio of 16 to 1, by independent action of the United States without waiting for the consent or permission of other nations; the reduction of tariff duties to a point which will provide only a sufficient revenue for the needs of the government without "levying an extra tax upon the consumer for the purpose of enriching the already wealthy;" the adoption of a fair and equitable tax on incomes, and an amendment to the constitution of the United States, if necessary, to accomplish this purpose; the enactment of appropriate legislation to more clearly define the duties and powers of courts in the issuing of writs restraining citizens of their rights without trial by jury; the adoption of national and state laws that will abolish pools and trusts.

The platform continues: "We reaffirm the Monroe doctrine and again pledge ourselves to abide by the advice of Washington, to keep ourselves from entangling alliances with foreign nations.

"We recognize William Jennings Bryan as the leading exponent of the foregoing principles enunciated as a declaration of party faith by the Democratic national convention of 1896; * * * and we confidently look forward to a glorious victory for Democracy in 1900 under his superb leadership."

The platform denounces the Allen bill and calls for its repeal; declares for the municipal ownership of public franchises; favors the initiative and referendum; condemns Governor Tanner; denounces the new revenue law of the state; denounces the civil service law of the state. Both ex-Govenor Altgeld and Mayor Harrison are indorsed.

A vigorous war plank is included, but nothing is said about terms of settlement, annexation by conquest, etc.

The Populist held a convention and named John C. Tanquary, of Wabash county, and J. R. Kenady, of Prairie City, to be submitted to the Democrats, either one of whom would be satisfactory as the fusion candidate for member of the board of trustees, University of Illinois.

Wisconsin Democratic Convention.

Milwaukee, July 13.—Chairman George W. Peck, of the Democratic state central committee has issued the formal call for the meeting of the state convention in this city Aug. 31. The call states that the basis of repersentation will be one delegate for each 250 votes cast at the last presidential election, a basis that was adopted at the meeting of the state central committee June 21 and which action was declared illegal by high authorities in the party. Illegal or not, it will stand as the basis for the election of delegates. The convention will contain 663 delegates.

Michigan Gold Democracy.

Grand Rapids, Mich., July 13.—The executive committee of the "National" Democracy met here to discuss the situation. It was decided that the fusion ticket could not be supported, but before calling a state convention letters will be sent to prominent "National" Democrats in the state asking their views. If a state convention and straight ticket be favored the committee will name the time and place and issue the call.

League of Republican Clubs.

Omaha, Neb., July 13.—Delegates to the convention of the National Republican League, which began here this morning began to pour in yesterday and the rotundas of the hotels are crowded with representative statesmen and prominent party workers from Illinois, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Michigan, Texes, Wyoming, California, Colorado and Arkansas. President Crawford is not a candidate for re-election.

Fusion in North Dakota.

Fargo, N. D., July 13.—Both the Populist and Democratic state conventions met here yesterday and spent the greater part of the day in the adoption of platforms. The Populists adopted one that is a combination of those adopted at St. Louis and at Omaha. The Democrats followed largely after that of Chicago. The joint conference committee reported in favor of calling the new party "Independent Democrat."

OVER A BILLION SUBSCRIBED.

New War Loan Wanted Badly by the People—The Popular Bids.

Washington, July 13.—The subscriptions to the new war loan will close at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Up to this time both the number of subscriptions received and the aggregate amount subscribed for far exceed all estimates. Monday the number of subscriptions was about 21,000 for the day, and the total sum subscribed for reached the aggregate of $220,000. Those for $500 and under to date are for about $65,000,000 and it is expected that it will approximate $75,000,000 by 3 o'clock tomorrow.

The subscriptions for sums exceeding $500 already aggregate $391,000,000, and it is expected that at the time of closing they will have reached $415,000,000, making the grand total including the large blanket bids over $1,250,000,000. Offers for large amounts are still coming in rapidly, two $5,000,000 applications having been received Monday.

Railway Meeting at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, July 13.—The Central Association of Railroad Officers began its annual meeting at the Denison hotel yesterday bringing together a representative gathering. Those who are in attendance are the men who operate railroads and some of the best railroad men in the country are present. Interesting papers were read yesterday. Last night there was a street car ride to the parks.

Flint Glass Workers.

Zanesville, O., July 13.—Reports to the national convention of the American Flint Glass Workers now in session here show that the union has 7,200 members in 119 local unions in forty states. These unions are represented here by 148 delegates. All were seated by the committee on credentials save the delegates from Dunkirk, Ind., where the union was ordered to hold a new election at once.

Preacher Abandons His Wife.

Houghton, Mich., July 13.—Rev. J. H. Kampaa, pastor of the Finnish Evangelical Lutheran church at Calumet, has disappeared, leaving his wife and five children behind. Kampaa was recently given sixty days to resign his pastorate, owing to alleged irregularities with impressionable female members of his flock.

Took Too Much Chloroform.

Lincoln, Neb., July 13.—Kent K. Hayden, receiver of the Capital National and German National banks of this city, was found dead in his room last night as a result of an overdose of chloroform. He had returned from a trip to Denver suffering from insomnia and took the drug, his wife insists, in order to induce sleep.

Spain Issues a New Loan.

Marid, July 11, via Bayonne, France, July 13.—The government issued yesterday a loan of 500,000,000 pesetas in treasury bonds at 5 per cent., of which amount the Bank of Spain takes 300,000,000 pesetas.

ABBREVIATED TELEGRAMS.

The Hawaiian islands are to be included in the military department of California.

Great excitements prevails in Seoul over a discovered plot to overthrow the government of Corea.

Mayor O. M. Pettit, of Kenosha, Wis. will be a candidate for congress in opposition to C. C. Cooper.

Mrs. John C. Spooner is home at Madison from Washington. Senator Spooner will return home in a few days.

The eighth annual convention of the Retail Clerks' National Protective association is in session at Louisville.

Pat O'Connell, of Oshkosh, at one time worth $50,000, now a wreck beyond redemption, has been sent to the workhouse.

The trial of United States Senator Fenney, who is charged with aiding to loot a bank, is in progress at Wilmington, Del.

Rev. Henry A. Helsen, of Auburndale Mass., was re-elected secretary of the National Congregational Council at Portland, Ore.

The directors of the American Steel and Wire company have declared a dividend of 1¼ per cent. on the preferred stocks, payable Aug. 1.

Something over $200,000 will be paid by this government as "head money" to the officers and sailors who destroyed Cervera's fleet.

A $5,000 block of Spanish bonds was sold at auction in New York for $100. They were of the kind secured by a pledge of Cuban revenue.

Thomas Scott, a tramp who robbed William Allen, of Stevens Point, Wis., of a watch and hat, has been sentenced to the state prison for one year.

By special request of Queen Victoria herself, Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnston, niece of President Buchanan, was presented at private audience at Windsor Castle.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Edison Friday and within a few hours came the news of the death of Mrs. Edison's brother, Theodore Miller, one of the Rough Riders.

Mrs. John Lydholz, who lived in the town of Easton, Marathon county, Wis., was so severely burned that she died. She was lifting a heavy kettle from the stove when her dress caught fire.

Talk of the Town... Great Clearance Sale!

This sale will no doubt be remembered for many years to come by all who are lucky enough to get a lick in on it, as ***EVERYTHING MUST GO QUICK.***

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Good Lawns at 3c
Ladies' and Children's Vests at 4c
Ladies' and Children's Hose, per pair 4c
Ladies' Fancy Lined Capes at 98c
Dadies' Wrappers at 48c
Ladies' Suits at $3.48
Ladies' Duck Dress Skirts at 69c
Ladies' Linen Dress Skirts at 98c
Ladies' Shirt Waists at 19c
Ladies' Silk Shirt Waists at $2.98
Ladies' Summer Corsets at 19c
Ladies' Belts at 5c
Cotton Toweling at 2c
All Linen Crash at 4½c
Almost giving away Dress Goods; also Silks, Trimmings, etc. Silk Mitts very cheap. Table Linen and Napkins away down.

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Men's elegant suits for $3.00
Men's all-wool suits for 4.00
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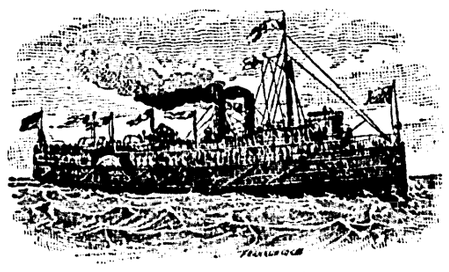

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BIG FOUR EXCURSIONS.

To Cincinnati, O., July 18 and 19. One fare for round trip.

To Syracuse, Ind., July 24 to August 4. Round trip $3.80.

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To Elkhart, Ind, July 19, 20 and 21, one fare for round trip.

To Saratoga, N. Y., August 1 and 2. Round trip $17.95.

To Indianapolis, Ind., August 23, account of K of P encampment, one cent per mile.

To Cincinnati, O., Sept. 5-10. One cent per mile. Account of G. A. R. Encampment.

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Home Seekers' excursions July 19 and August 2 and 6.

One way settlers' rates July 19 and August 2 and 16.

To Washington, D. C., July 3 to 6 inclusive. One fare plus $2 for round trip.

For further information as to limits of above excursions call on or address L. G. Smith, agent C. C. C. & St. L. Ry., Benton Harbor, Mich.

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E. C. Blanks, of Lewisville, Texas, writes that one box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve was worth $50.00 to him. It cured his piles of ten years standing. He advises others to try it. It also cures eczema, skin diseases and obstinate sores. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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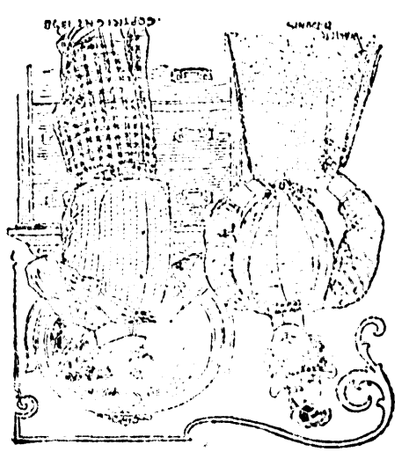

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HE WILL BUILD A HOUSE.

Interesting Gossip Concerning the Hon. Jones' Family.

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The Hon. Thomas Jones, who is a well known and successful stock raiser and farmer, has sold his farm in Iowa and will soon come to Benton Harbor to reside, in order to give his family the benefit of the excellent social and

THE JONSES' NEW HOUSE.

educational advantages for which this city is noted. Mr. Jones has long been known in his community as a man whose word is as good as a bond, and his fellow townsmen have availed themselves of his ability by placing him on the school board, electing him a supervisor of his township, and sending him to the state legislature. Mr. Jones is a graduate of the Agricultural college, while Mrs. Jones was educated at Olivet. They have two daughters and one son. The former are much given to music—a taste inherited from their refined mother.

It is understood that by the death of a distant relative, who gained a large fortune in the Klondike last year, the Joneses have come into a very tidy fortune and mean to get all the good out of it that money can secure.

Joneses at the Hotel Higbee.

Mr. Thomas Jones and family were registered at the Hotel Higbee Sunday and occupied rooms 2, 14 and 25 and the private parlor on the first floor. Landlord C. J. Guy reported them as very desirable guests, knowing exactly what they wanted, and acceding without demur to the very reasonable charges of the Hotel Higbee. A representative of THE EVENING NEWS found the Hon. Thomas Jones enjoying a Columbia cigar in the hotel lobby and was granted a very pleasant interview.

The reporter learned that the family was in the city for the purpose of contracting for the materials for and the building of their new house, arranging for its furnishings in all its details and purchasing supplies.

Mr. Jones believed they could complete their buying in two days, as they had in mind nearly everything wanted. They had obtained copies of THE EVENING NEWS some time ago, and from a close study of its advertising and local news columns, had learned of the people who kept the goods desired. After making their purchases, they would leave for a visit to Mr. Jones boyhood's home in Fulton county, N. Y., and return only when their house was nearly completed. They liked the Hotel Higbee so well that they would make it their temporary home on their return.

Jones Visits a Bank.

Thomas Jones visited the Farmers and Merchants bank and presented a letter of introduction from the president of the First National of Moneville. He had placed to his credit a certificate of deposit for $10,000. Mr. Jones secured a check book, left his signature, and told Cashier Charles Foster that he had carefully investigated Farmers and Merchants bank and was pleased to open an account with them. He expected to pay out a number of checks in the next two days, as he would purchase largely while in the city. Mr. Jones learned that interest was paid on small as well as large deposits at this bank, and he placed $100 to the credit of both Tom, jr., and Winifred, as the nucleus for a savings fund for each.

Jones Invests in Real Estate.

Hon. Thomas Jones had been in correspondence with Curtis & Jennings, the well known real estate dealers, in regard to purchasing desirable lots upon which to build his new house. He found the gentlemen in their office, room 4, Jones & Sonner block, and Mr. Curtis took Mr. Jones out to inspect the property. Mr. Jones was satisfied with the lots and the reasonable price named and expressed his faith in Benton Harbor realty. The transfer of the property was made. Mr. Jones also bought a farm from Curtis & Jennings' extensive list of desirable farm properties, as an investment. He arranged with them to act as his agents in loaning a large amount of money on safe real estate security. Then Mr. Jones smilingly remarked he could now claim to be a property owner of Benton Harbor.

Jones Gets Plans.

After considerable discussion by the family, plans submitted by the well known firm of McKellar & Son were adopted for Thomas Jones' residence. The house will be a fine modern twelve-room cottage with all conveniences, and will cost about $8,500. The Misses Jones and Tom, jr., insisted that there should be a bicycle room and the architects readily evolved one that will be adopted in many of their future plans for modern homes.

Will Build Jones' House.

McKellar & Son, architects, contractors and builders, easily secured the contract to build Thomas Jones' elegant $8,500 cottage. Their reputation for good work insures Mr. Jones a satisfactory job. The firm of McKellar & Son have been in business in Benton Harbor for over sixteen years, and in that time have built a large number of residence, stores and other public buildings, all of which are evidences of their ability as experts in their line. Mr. J. D. McKellar, who is the head of the firm since his father's death, is a young man of eminent ability in his chosen profession, and is entirely capable of continuing the extensive operations for which the firm has been noted.

Will Furnish Jones' Lumber.

W. P. Robbins, whose office and yard is on West Main street, will furnish the lumber for Thomas Jones' new house, as well as the sash, doors, ornamental woodwork, and all of the interior finish, lime, etc, to enter into its construction. Everything is to be A1, and W. P. Robbins supplies that grade.

Stipulates for the "Kelsey."

The Hon. Thomas Jones stipulates in his contract that the "Kelsey" furnace shall be used in his new home. Mr. Jones is a twentieth century man in his ideas of home comfort Hone Bros., 70 State street, St. Joseph, will supply the "Kelsey" furnace for Mr. Jones and also do the tin work on his new house. Hone Bros. also supply the

HON. THOMAS JONES.

America hot water heater for those who favor hot water heating.

Secures the Order.

There was considerable competition to sell Jones his builders' hardware and there was not much difference in prices. The man who advertised secured the order. "In the copies of THE EVENING NEWS sent me," said Mr Jones, "I read B. L. Hall's advertisement. Now, as a stranger, I appreciate the courtesy of being invited to visit Mr. Hall's store, 126 Pipestone street, and I know from experience that the men who advertise are progressive dealers and the ones who keep the latest and best goods in their lines." Mr. Hall's prices were satisfactory, and he received Mr. Jones' order for the builder's hardware and also sold him one of the Jewell celebrated steel ranges and an Insurance gasoline stove.

Secured the Plumbing.

Thomas Jones' new house is to be provided with all the latest conveniences in the matter of bath and toilet rooms, sinks, tubs, gas, water and waste pipes, etc. Edward Brammall, in the Graham & Morton building, has taken the plumbing contract, and it goes without saying that the work will be satisfactory.

Chooses His Light.

The Hon. Thomas Jones desired to secure for his new home the best, safest and most desirable light furnished in Benton Harbor. After a careful investigation he decided to contract for gas furnished by the Benton Harbor-St. Joseph Gas Co. He will use the Welsbach incandescent burners, as Mrs. Jones especially likes their soft but brilliant light. He will also use the same company's gas in his kitchen range and bought of them one of their excellent gas stoves.

China and Glassware.

A man is known by the company he keeps, and a woman is known by the table she sets. Mrs. Jones had this in mind when she inspected A. H. Rowe's extensive china department at 134 Pipestone street. She evidently kept it in mind during her purchases, for the check left was a large sum. With the exception of two beautiful lamps bought THE EVENING NEWS cannot enumerate the goods. Benton Harbor's lucky 400 will be given an opportunity to see the elegant table service when the Joneses have their house-warming.

"To Sleep, Perchance to Dream."

While Mrs. Jones was selecting china at A. H. Rowe's, Mr. Jones made the acquaintance of Mr. J. O. Rowe, the undertaker, and superintendent of the new cemetery, who makes his headquarters at 134 Pipestone street. Mr. Rowe is enthusiastic over the beautiful site of the new cemetery. The firemen and the G. A. R. both have spacious lots set apart in this cemetery, through the efforts of Mr. Rowe, for the last resting place of their honored dead. Mr. Jones promised to visit the cemetery. Mr. Rowe's residence is 185 High street, telephone 154. His office telephone is 180.

In the Art Line.

While the Joneses had sold with their farm the most of their household goods, they retained their library, pictures and most cherished bric-a-brac. However, Mrs. Jones deemed a few more good pictures necessary, and Judson E. Rice, 156 Pipestone street (the Economy Co.,) sold her a finely framed copy of the Angelus, and several pretty water colors. She bought some art novelties also, and was delighted with her purchases. Mrs. Jones selected handsome frames from Mr. Rice's extensive stock of elegant mouldings for the water colors.

Indorsed the Baths.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones had read in THE EVENING NEWS of the excellence of the Excelsior mineral baths and immediately proceeded to test their efficacy to remove the weariness caused by their trip from Iowa. They were delighted with the beautiful and commodious new bath house with its handsome furnishings and shady verandahs. The cheerful, well lighted apartments with their fine porcelain bath, were very grateful to the tired travelers. The baths, as Mr. Jones said, made them young again.

Canvass the Day.

The Joneses met at supper in the dining-room of the Hotel Higbee, and were well pleased with the day's experience. Each had a hearty appetite, and did justice to the excellent menu. The girls and Tom, jr., had been inspecting the town. They where enthusiastic over the public buildings, the High school, the many handsome residences, beautifully shaded and cleanly streets, and the fine churches.

The family spent the evening in the private parlor assigned to their use. In order to divide up the work for the next day Mr. Jones said he would order THE EVENING NEWS to follow them east, as by its regular perusal they would become familiarized with their future townspeople. He had also a little shopping to do.

Mrs. Jones said she had better get a traveling hat for the railway trip east, and the girls needed new gowns for the reception. She believed her time would be occupied nearly the whole of the morning.

The Misses Jones agreed to engage a photographer to take a picture of the family; also, to see a florist, confectioner and caterer for the reception. They would meet their mother at 10:30 o'clock at the Misses Dalrymple's millinery store.

Tom Jones, jr., was assigned the duty of looking up and recommending a grocer, meat dealer, baker, milkman and laundryman. His father suggested that he also buy himself a pair of shoes.

The head of the family said that the most important thing yet to buy was the piano. The musical girls assented to this, but the sport-loving Tom said that the selection of bi-

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cycles deserved the most time and consideration. It was agreed that the inspection of pianos and bicycles should be made the special order for the afternoon, and chosen in committee of the whole. Just at this point Mrs. Jones remembered that one of her teeth needed refilling, and she hoped to have time for the work.

The family separated, each considering the assignments for the morrow.

Jones and the Jeweler Agreed.

Thomas Jones looked at his watch, and much to his surprise found it but 10 o'clock. He was then in front of G. D. Alger's, the jeweler's, 118 Pipestone street, and a look at the regulator showed him that his watch was way behind. It had stopped. "Nothing like taking a stitch in time," murmured the Hon. Thomas, and he placed his fine timepiece in Mr. Alger's hands. A brief inspection showed that his watch needed cleaning, and Mr. Alger promised to have it done that evening. He complimented Mr. Jones upon carrying a good watch.

Delight of Women.

Mrs. Thomas Jones is not hypercritical in the matter of dress, but everything she wears is selected with the best of taste. An attractive display in the window of the Misses Dalrymple's millinery store, at 119 Pipestone street, induced her to step in, as the names were familiar. She was soon canvassing the merits of half a dozen pattern hats, and selected a very tasteful one. The price was very moderate. A special discount sale is now taking place at this store. Mrs. Jones was so well satisfied with the stock displayed and the courtesy shown her that she volunteered to give the Misses Dalrymple future orders.

Mrs. Jones Visits a Dentist.

Mrs. Jones sought Dr. S. B. Ellsworth's dental office, 130 Pipestone street, and for a wonder found the dentist at liberty "Mrs. James Brown had an appointment with me from 11:30 to 12:30," said Dr. Ellsworth, "but she sent a note this morning saying she was to ill to have the work done. Therefore, I can give you the time." The refilling took a little more than half an hour of Dr. Ellsworth's skilled and rapid workmanship. As Mrs. Jones paid for the work, Dr. Ellsworth remarked that he would guarantee that filling to remain. Mrs. Jones said that the family would have more work for him.

Are Behind the Times.

The family met at the Hotel Higbee for lunch and found their table decorated with handsome bouquets of fragrant roses, while Landlord Guy had ordered out silverware, china, and cut glass in honor of the occasion. The family's numerous and heavy purchases had been talked of in business circles, and many cards and envelopes were piled beside Mr. Jones' plate. Invitations to join the board of trade and the Miami club, the card of the mayor of the city, and numerous circulars of tradesmen, comprised the pile. Mr. Jones was seen to shrug his shoulders at the circulars. "The men who do not advertise in newspapers are, as usual, behind the times, my dear," he remarked to Mrs. Jones. The circulars were removed with the soup plates.

The Joneses Buy Bicycles.

Tom, jr., had thus far been rather in the background, but with a wisdom beyond his years, as the dessert was being eaten and the tired look faded from his father's face, broached the subject of bicycles. The family agreed to go directly to the Orin Cycle Co., 145 Pipestone street, and inspect their wheels. They were shown beauties in drop and diamond frames. Tom, jr., selected a Sterling racer. Miss Jones chose for her mount a lady's Sterling, enameled in olive green and striped with old gold. Winifred chose an Orin, because of its beautiful proportions. It was enameled in blue. A combination wheel, that the entire family had learned to ride on, was turned in on the purchase at a liberal figure. The Sterling tandem was shown Mr. Jones and undoubtedly later the young people will induce their father to buy it. Then the entire family can take wheel trips on the pleasant roads about Benton Harbor and view the many delightful nooks and picturesque bits of scenery.

The Orin Cycle Co. has a well equipped repair department, with all necessary machinery for the most complicated repair work, enameling, etc. Their prices are right.

Purchases a Piano.

The Farrand & Votey organ, which had done excellent service for the Jones family for many years was to be placed in Mrs. Jones' sitting room in the new house, and the music loving daughters were to be given a modern upright piano. Its selection was a matter of considerable importance, in which all but Tom, jr., wanted a voice. Several pianos were inspected, catalogues carefully scanned, and after mature deliberation the universal choice centered upon the Starr piano sold in Benton Harbor by Charles E. Bowman, 118 Pipestone street. Its fine tone, symmetry and handsome case appealed strongly to the critical musical and artistic taste of Mrs. Jones and her daughters.

Give G. M. Bell & Co. a Call.

As she came to G. M. Bell & Co.'s drug store, Mrs. Jones remarked that she wanted a bottle of Solon Palmer's white rose perfume She found the store carried a complete line of perfumes and selected her favorites. Mr. Jones saw a handsome toilet case and bought it, while Tom, jr., selected a fine hair brush and said he would persevere in trying to keep his unruly locks in order. Miss Jones chose a bottle of Cressler's Fragrant Balm for tan and sunburn. Winifred insisted on buying one of the fine hammocks, because she said they were so cheap. Mr. Jones took a bottle of fine old

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sherry, strictly for medicinal purposes, as he remarked.

Mrs. Jones Orders Invitations.

Mrs. Jones orders invitations for the reception from the Colvin Press, 114 Water street ('phone 10). She thought 200 would be sufficient. She was pleased with the artistic samples shown her, and placed her order with the date of the reception to be determined later.

Improved Their Sight.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones had for some time felt the need of eye glasses, but each had delayed adopting them, waiting for the other. Mr. Jones suggested that now while they were coming among new acquaintances, would be an excellent time to make a beginning, as it would not seem at all awkward. Mrs. Jones was of the same mind, and they called upon R. W. Baker, the optician in the Bowman block, who makes a specialty of fitting the eyes. Mr. Baker tested their eyesight, sold them the glasses they needed, and they were surprised and pleased at the improvement in their sight. Mr. Jones highly praised Mr. Baker upon his ability and the thorough understanding he showed of the needs of failing eyesight of each individual, and the skillful manner in which the fitting was done.

A Perfect Picture.

It is a very desirable thing for a family to have a group picture taken at regular intervals and oftener than is usually done. Such a picture frequently becomes a cherished keepsake beyond price. The girls had decided that LeClear & Welsh, photographers in the new Sesser building, St. Joseph, were the artists to do their work, and 2:30 o'clock found the family in the studio. With the pleasure of possessing a new bicycle shining in his face, even Tom, jr., managed to "look pleasant" through what was to him a disagreeable ordeal. The artist pronounced the negative a fine one. Proofs were to be forwarded, and the Joneses departed from the studio well pleased with having given their order to LeClear & Welsh, and promising to sit for single pictures on their return from the east. They found the studio to be one of the best appointed in the state, and the character of the work done was beyond criticism.

Tom Jr.'s Shoes.

Tom, jr., had spent the forenoon with much satisfaction to himself and without credit to his family. He first made sure of the new shoes suggested by his father. Young Tom's tastes were for the substantial as well as the ornamental. He selected a pair of Miles' tan shoes at $2.50, such as he had heretofore paid $3.50 for and worn on Sundays only. He bought them at A. S. Miles' shoe store, corner of Pipestone and Michigan streets. His attention was attracted to a fine line of ladies' shoes which he promised to recommend to his mother and sisters.

Inspects a Market.

Tom, jr., critically inspected J. E. Dunbar's meat market from the outside. Everything to be seen indicated cleanliness. Then he went inside. His inspection here was satisfactory too. The plump yellow-legged chickens, tender looking steaks, well-browned hams, etc., and the white-aproned, cleanly-appearing man in charge convinced Tom, jr., that the family could not go wrong in buying their meats of J. E. Dunbar.

Chooses a Grocer.

Tom, jr., adopted a novel plan by which to choose a grocer. He went to C. J. Brown's grocery, at 116 Pipestone street, and waited to see if he would be served in his turn. The show of goods outside and inside the store was large and attractive, and included all kinds of staple and fancy groceries, foreign and domestic fruits, fresh vegetables, etc. A number of people were ahead of him, and others entered after him. Much to Tom, jr.'s, surprise and gratification, when his turn came he was courteously asked how he could be served. He found that C. J. Brown sold Chase & Sanborn's coffees, such as his father liked, and the famous Lipton teas, which his mother always drank. He bought some oranges and went away convinced that a firm which recognized the rights of a boy would be equally conscientious in selling goods. C. J. Brown will furnish the Joneses with groceries.

Visits a Bakery.

Although brought up on a farm, Tom, jr., has a well developed sweet tooth, and next to visiting a candy shop he enjoys the privileges of a bakery. He went into Farnsworth's New England bakery at 128 Pipestone street, and while stowing away a nickel's worth of jell roll inspected the stock. The bread looked deliciously browned and appetizing, the cakes were the acme of a housewife's dream, and as Tom's last mouthful of jell roll was put where it would do him the most good, he decided that Farnsworth's bread and cakes were just what the Jones family was looking for.

On His Native Heath.

Tom, jr.'s last but not least commission was to arrange for a family supply of milk and cream. This he was fully competent to do. A farmer boy's taste may successfully be pitted against a patented milk tester when it comes to determining the quality of milk. He stopped John Martindale's Blue Creek dairy wagon and asked for samples and a glass of Jersey milk was given him. The jell roll he had just eaten may have had something to do with it, but Tom, jr., thought the milk the most delicious that had ever passed his lips. "This is good enough for the Joneses," he said, and he contracted with Mr. Martindale for a family supply of Blue Creek Jersey milk and cream.

Next to Godliness.

Tom, jr., recommended the Enterprise laundry, a few doors off Pipestone street, near the bluff, and at the head of Sixth street, of which Edwin White is proprietor, for family and individual

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washings. They use nothing at this laundry that will injure the fabric, and their work is delivered promptly on time. They make a speciality of family washings and fine work, including lace curtains, ladies' shirt waists, collars and cuffs, and their charges are moderate.

Will Supply the Flowers.

Miss Jones' ideas as to the quantity of cut flowers, plants and other floral embellishments for the reception were very liberal. Her lady mother she knew would be indulgent in this respect. She wisely arranged to have the rooms decorated under the supervision of Charles Carlson, he to supply the cut flowers, plants, etc. Mr. Carlson guaranteed to have everything needed. It would be out of season for the most desirable roses, but he promised to have many other rare flowers which this greenhouse is so well prepared to supply. The stock of flowers displayed at the greenhouse, 172-178 Green avenue, (telephone 126) was a delight to Miss Jones. She bought and took with her a large bunch of sweet peas.

The Joneses Go East.

The Hon. Thomas Jones and family left Benton Harbor for Fulton county, N. Y., on the Chicago & West Michigan at 6:25 p. m. last night. Their luggage had preceded them. The family will return in about two months, and some of Benton Harbor's best people have already decided to give receptions in their honor. The progress made in the construction of Mr. Jones' handsome house will be watched with interest.

Jones Remembers the Cigars.

from Hon. Thomas Jones, asking him to see the Columbia Cigar Co., 115 Pipestone street, and engage half a thousand well seasoned Columbia cigars for Mr. Jones' reception. He had tried this favorite brand while at the Hotel Higbee and learned the maker's name. He was sure they were all right.

From a Health Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones are very careful to inquire about the purity of their drinking water supply and are no less particular about the ice they buy. Considerable inquiry convinced them that

TOM, JR.

Reed's lake ice sold by Hosbein & Barnes was of a satisfactory quality and purity, and they placed an order with Hosbein & Barnes with entire confidence that the service and ice would be satisfactory.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Ella Scott, by her solicitor, W. C. Hicks, has filed a bill for divorce from John E. Scott, alleging that some time ago John left her to support herself without reasonable excuse and for no fault of hers.

Probate Court.

The claim of Harriet McOmber of $3,060 for the care of Livonia Van Duhoof, deceased, during her last illness, was heard by the court, Col. Ed. Bacon appearing for the claimant, and A. A. Worthington as attorney for the estate. The testimony of claimant in part was taken, and the case continued to July 26, at 10 a. m.

Hungry for Doughnuts.

Niles, July 13.—Horace Correll, of this city, a member of Company I, 33d Michigan, in a letter describes the trip from Fortress Monroe to Santiago, bemoans the poor quality of the food, which consisted of corn beef, canned beans, hardtack and coffee. He writes: "I would thrash all day for just one more square meal at home. Gee! how good doughnuts and pies would taste again."

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Business Announcements That Pay to Consider.

The Enterprise Mercantile company are conducting a millinery sale. Trimmed and untrimmed hats at prices that can't be equalled. $1.50 sailors for 25 cents. They are bound to close out this year's stock.

E. W. Moore has several specials in both his dry goods and grocery departments. Some things in his dry goods department that he is closing out. His ad tells all about it.

Height of British Soldiers.

It is interesting to note that out of every 1,000 men in the British army there are eighteen over 6 feet in stature, twenty-seven of 5 feet 11 inches, fifty-two of 5 feet 10 inches, ninety-three of 5 feet 9 inches, 141 of 5 feet 8 inches, and 184 of 5 feet 7 inches. Taking one year with another, it is found that these figures vary but slightly each twelve months. Out of the 2,000 British soldiers of 6 feet and over, 400 are in the line regiments.

Wall Paper Oddity.

Zinc wall paper is the latest oddity. The zinc is attached to the wall by a cement invented for the purpose, and is made to imitate marble. The surface is enameled so as to render it permanent or washable. It is claimed for this new departure in decorative material that, while it is as permanent as tiles or marble, is much cheaper, and can be as easily put on as ordinary wall paper.

Stone Soles.

An inventor has hit upon a method of putting stone soles on boots and shoes. He mixes a water-proof glue with a suitable quantity of clean quartz sand, and spreads it over the leather sole used as foundation. These quartz soles are said to be very flexible and practically indestructible, and to give the foot a firm hold even on the most slippery surface.

THE LEADER STORE.

We have just bought out a stock of clothing and gents' furnishings at 50 cents on the dollar and will sell the same below first cost. Also shoes, underwear, notions, glassware and tinware are sold at the lowest prices in town. If you need anything in the line of jewelry and watches or repairing come to us and find out our prices. 118 West Main street, opposite Farmers & Merchants bank. B. JOSEPH, Proprietor.
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Hopkins' drug store open every night till 2 o'clock. tf828

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ROMAN I. JARVIS EXPECTS TO BE NOMINATED.

Possible That Two Other Candidates Will Be Mentioned in a Complimentary Way.

The democratic congressional convention of this district will be held at Three Rivers, August 31, and at that time it is certain that Hon. Roman I. Jarvis of this city will be nominated by acclamation. Cavanaugh of Van Buren and Kimmerle of Cass may possibly be mentioned in a complimentary way.

One of the leaders of the local democracy stated this morning that the party was now more perfectly united than had been the case for many years. He added that there were now but two democrats in the county who are not in accord with the position of the party.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

A. J. Beeny is in Hartford today.

Mrs. Minnie McKellar, of Chicago, is in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Oriel Chapman have returned from their wedding trip through the south.

Captain Rounds and wife, L. G. Smith and wife, J. S. Barker and wife and their friends to the number of sixteen spent the day at Pottowatomie park yesterday.

Miss Mamie Vuylsteke, the only daughter of A. Vuylsteke of this city, was married in Chicago Monday to Ray E. Lee of Buchanan. Miss Vuylsteke returned from a trip of several months abroad July 4. Mr. Lee is a brother of Fred E. Lee, the manager of the Beckwith estate at Dowagiac.

THE FASHIONS.

Great Change from the Time of the Pilgrim Fathers.

In the year of the Pilgrim Fathers little attention was paid to dress except to be properly clothed in homespun and shaker bonnet and the changes of style were unknown as they are today.

But how different are the tastes of our ladies, young and old.

A few weeks passed and new ideas are produced in hats and every lady must have a change.

Easter seems a long time ago and many who almost froze that day in order to wear a new spring hat are now ready for another.

Our millinery business this season has been remarkable and has far exceeded our expectations and we wish to take this place and time to thank our patrons.

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Now we are going to show our appreciation of your patronage in a substantial manner and will enable every lady to purchase another hat at a very low price.

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One lot worth up to $3.00 all go at 98 cents each.

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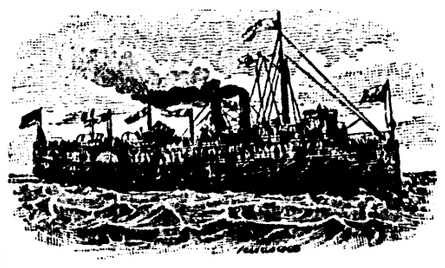

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